

# Davidson College



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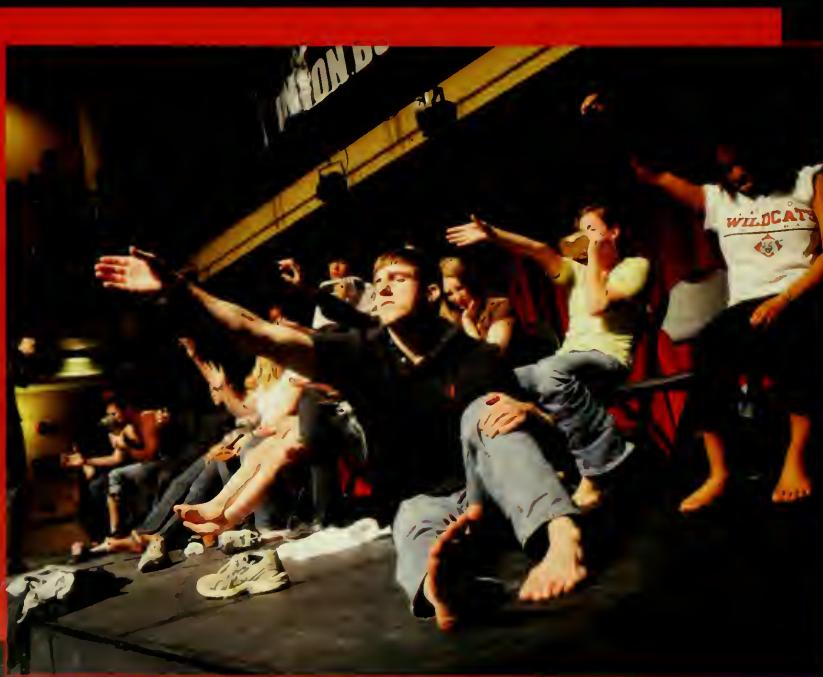


# The Bigga Picture

## Getting the Picture, the BIGGER Picture

Rather than overwhelm you with many different pictures, Quips and Cranks of 2008-2009 employs you to relish the beauty of each individual shot. The format of this book consists of a smaller than usual amount of pictures, but what pictures we do have are enlarged for better appreciation. In this manner, the yearbook staff hopes that the viewer will not simply skim over the pages and photos, but will rather take the time to soak in what each picture captures. After all, the bigger picture behind an individual photo is the story it captures and the memories it shares.

*The Student Activities*



*The Social Scene*

The Culture



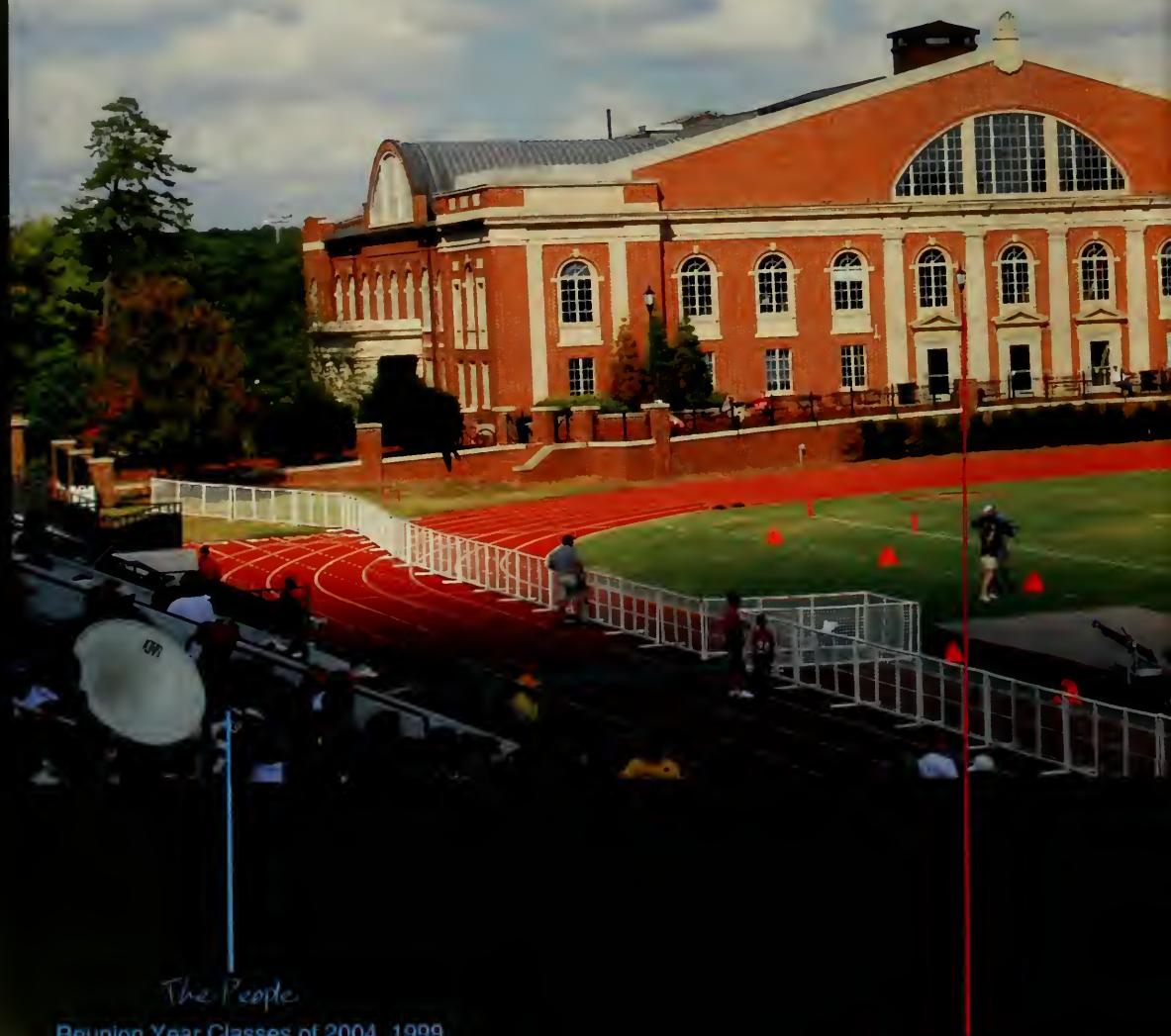
The People





# Fall Student Life





*The People*

Reunion Year Classes of 2004, 1999,  
1989, 1984, 1979, 1969, and 1959.

Fall Convocation Awards to  
Professors Nancy Fairley and Peter  
Ahrensdorf

*Time to Rock!* - 2004

First Night Down & Homecoming  
against Jackson University

Night With the Gators Basketball Kick-off

Election Night Party



## *The Student Activities*

Fall Varsity Sports: Field Hockey, Golf,  
Cross Country, Football, Volleyball

Popularity of the Davidson Show

Base Belk Flickerball Champions

## *The Culture*

Fall Showing of Shakespeare's  
"Hamlet"

Kathryn Stripling Byer speaks about  
her poetry

Brooke Parkhurst introduces her book  
"Belle in the Big Apple"

# Freshman Orientation

August 21-24, 2009

The **Class of 2012** spent four exhausting and exhilarating days getting acquainted with **Davidson life** before they even started their first day of classes. The freshmen attended speeches, competed in the Freshmen Olympics, completed the service walk, and participated in a book discussion. The weekend ended with a relaxing afternoon at Lake Campus.





# Freshman Orientation





# HOMECOMING

Homecoming 2008 saw over 700 alumni return to campus, a record number. Students and alums alike watched the football team face Jackson University. In a dramatic comeback, the Wildcats recovered from a 21 point deficit to win by 3 in the final minute. At halftime, the homecoming court was announced, and students and alumni celebrated the victory well into the night.



Left: Tyler Kirkland and Andrew Lovedale were elected Homecoming Queen and King by the student body and crowned at halftime.  
Above, below: Members of the homecoming court introduce themselves to the fans.







# Presidential Elections

# ELECTION NIGHT PARTY

900 room 7pm-1am



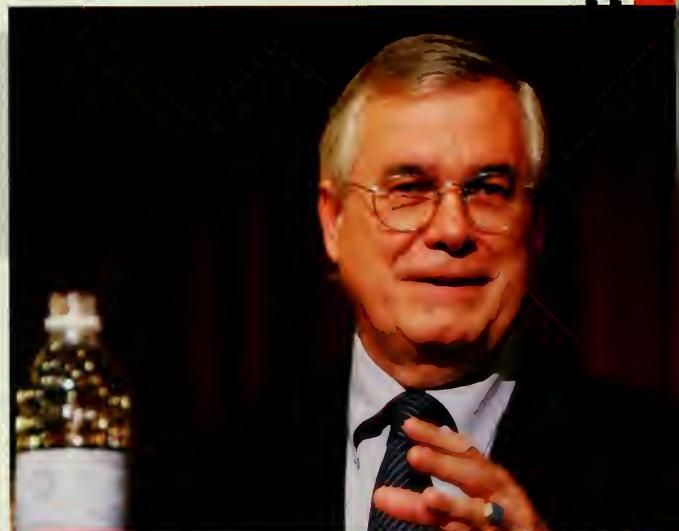
Will your state go **RED** or **BLUE**?

Students gather in the Union 900 room to witness history in the making. The 2009 presidential elections involved race, gender, and other controversial issues. As the world looked on to see the next elected American President, Davidson students watched from the 900 room in the company of close friends. the first ever elected black president, Barack Obama.

Davidson students cheer as the first ever elected black president, Barack Obama is announced the winner.



# GUEST SPEAKERS



# Fall Study Abroad



# Fall Student Performances



Left Page: Images from the fall performance of "Communicating Doors."

Right Page: Two performances of Live Thursdays in the Union featuring several Davidson musical talents.





# International Festival

Following tradition, this year's International Festival was held over Parents' Weekend in the Alvarez College Union. The event featured cultural displays and performances by students and community organizations. A variety of international foods were also provided. A fun, educational time was had by all!



# HALLOWEEN



ictures Provided by Nicholas Kruter, Lori Pitts, Molly Barnes, and Suzanne Lenz

# Holidays



Left: Santa and Mrs. Clause descend from Chambers.

Below: Davidson student choirs lead the group in various Christmas carols.

Right: Students and faculty participate in a candlelight vigil.

Below: Seniors gather to celebrate the holidays.







# Spring Student Life





### *The People*

Spring Convocation Awards to  
Professors Annie Ingram and Sophia  
Sarafova

Marshall Scholarship awarded to  
senior Katy Finley

### *The School News*

Return of the Juniors

Self-Selection Night



### *The Student Activities*

Spring Varsity Sports: Lacrosse, Track & Field, Baseball

NIT Tournament

Spring Frolics!!!!

### *The Culture*

Inauguration of President Barack Obama

Spring Showing of "Company"

# SELF SELECTION 2009



Connor, Rusk,  
Turner, Warner  
...which one will  
you be?

Left: Two freshmen sport the Turner green.

Below: Rusk House welcomes the new freshmen with dancing and shaving cream.

"You are now the  
chosen few...Turner is  
the house for you!"



## Eating House Participation 2008-2009: 59.4%

Right: Members of Fraternity e-boards dress up for the occasion.

Middle: Freshmen selected by Rusk display their Tom Cruise "Rusky Business" costumes.

Below: Fraternity pledges pay a visit to each eating house.

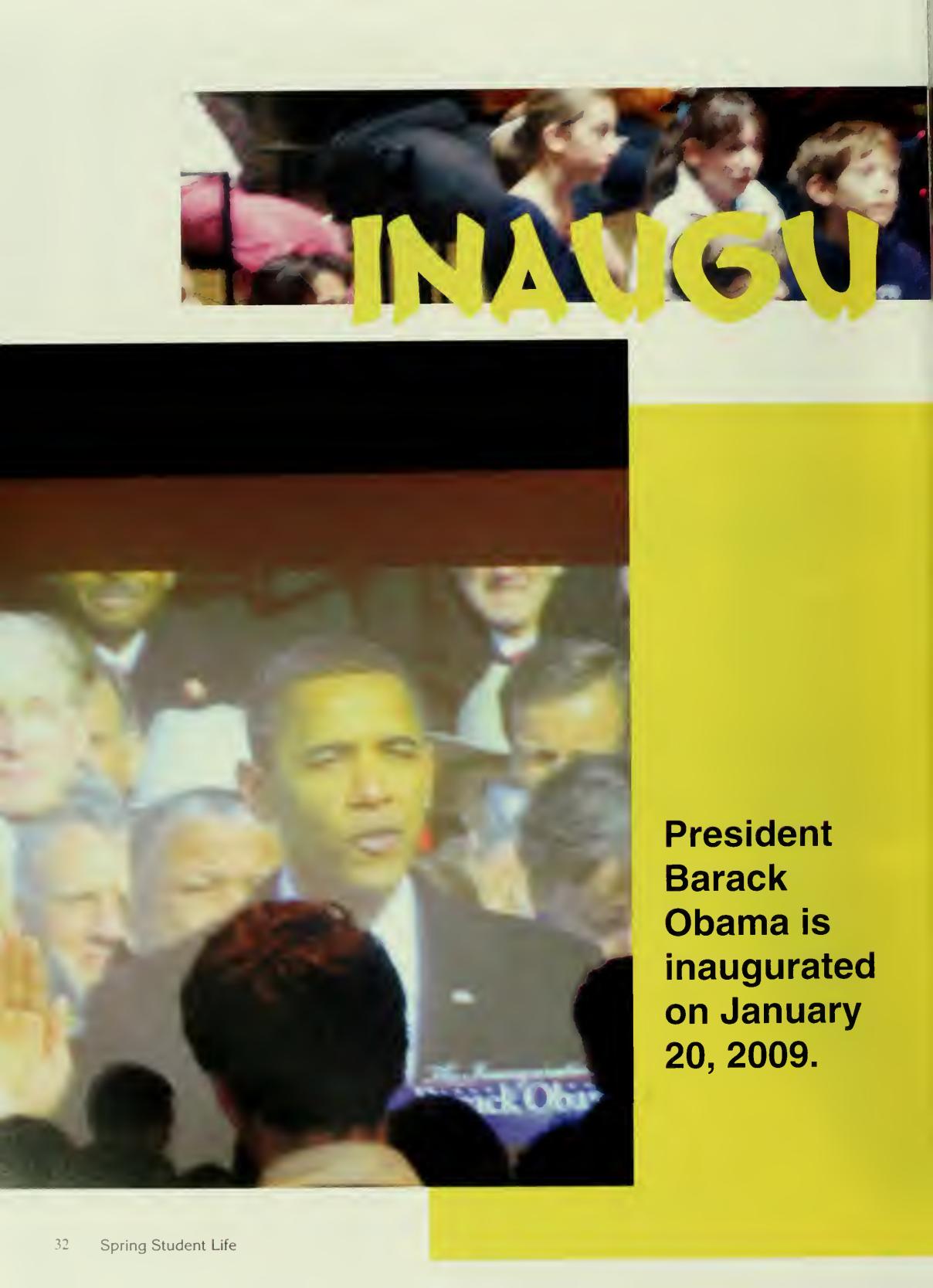
"Hot damn, body slam, we love Rusk!"



"C-O-N, N-O-R, Connor House is what we are!"



"Warner Hall...Warner Hall!"



INAUGU

**President  
Barack  
Obama is  
inaugurated  
on January  
20, 2009.**

# CELEBRATION

Community members join Davidson students to witness the historical event.



Obama agrees to the terms of presidency.



Students watch the ceremony displayed live in the 900 Room.



# Spring Student Performances



Left: Junior Ben Bashinski slips the glass slipper on his future bride in the January production of Cinderella.

Below: Spring performance of Dance Ensemble.



# Spring Break



Top: Pictures from the student-lead alternative spring break trip to Richmond, Virginia.

Bottom: Seniors goof-off and enjoy their last spring break.



# Spring Frolics

Students take a weekend to celebrate spring before focusing on exams.

Left: Underclassmen enjoy the summer weather.

Below: Union Board staff members show-off their Saturday event.





Left: Students play in the inflatables provided by the Union Board.

Above: Students kick-off Spring Frolics at the Rusk event "Cheeseburger in Paradise" Friday afternoon.

Below: Sophomore Karen Kirk and friends enjoy the warm weather.



# Guest Speakers & Performances



photo taken by Lindsey Gaskins

Kellie Walden and Band perform in the University Bookstore in January.

Alex Counts, President of Grameen Bank, speaks to students about his work with microfinancing and his new book "Small Loans, Big Dreams." Sponsored by Davidson's new microfinance club.



# Spring Study Abroad



Left: Junior Ryan Gouge poses with European statues.

Below: Davidson students pay a visit to "The Face of Barcelona"

Right: Junior Emily Cetrone vacations in Paris during her year long study abroad.

# Death Cab for Cutie Concert





# Graduation

The graduating class of 2009 received their diplomas in John Belk Arena due to the dismal weather that prevented the event from taking place on Chambers lawn, the original location. Many said the weather reflected the sorrowful sentiments as graduates said goodbye to their friends and beloved college. Despite the goodbyes there were many smiles as the graduates of 2009 received their diplomas in recognition of their academic accomplishments at Davidson College. The class recognized Professors Ann Marie Costa of the theatre department and Karl Plank, Cannon professor of Religion as this year's recipients of the Hunter-Hamilton Love of Teaching Award. This honor recognizes professors for their outstanding teaching and ability to encourage and challenge students. Recipients are also awarded with a personal \$7,500 and an additional \$7,500 to support a cause of their choice.

Among the students, graduates Kennessee S. Martin of Ringgold, Georgia, a political science major with a minor in French,

and Carolyn S. Klaasen, a religion major from Malabar, Florida, received the Algernon Sydney Sullivan Award for their significant contributions to their communities.

honors in psychology and Sarah Rhodes of Concord, N.C., who graduated magna cum laude with High Honors in Neuroscience, as recipients of first and second honors respectively in their class.

As is tradition President Tom Ross (class of '72) was the only speaker at graduation. The president, recently recognized by the students with the "Silver Fox" Award, encouraged the graduates to become leaders in their lives after college. "Don't just live, lead" was his message.

Class President Richmond Blake was the only graduate to speak at the ceremony. Blake congratulated his class on the largest participation in the senior gift to the annual fund, a 98 percent participation that equaled a gift of \$9,767. Tom Ross plans to contribute \$13,000 to this gift.

Graduate academic awards recognized Ben Van Dyke from Simpsonville, South Carolina, who graduated magna cum laude with

26 percent of the seniors graduated cum laude (73) and magna cum laude (37).





Above: Ambrice Miller shows off her diploma

Right: Seniors take their last walk as Davidson students as they make their way to Baker for the graduation ceremony





*Staff*





Susie Abernethy



April Albritton



Moises Alfaro



Debbie Alford



Ernesto Alvarez



Rachel Andoga



Scott Applegate



Jeff Arzotico



David Ashley



Darlene Atkinson



Annette Bagley



Julie Bailey



Rene Baker



Karen Baldwin



Kim Ball



Melissa Bandy



John Barnhart



Nancy Barrell



Drew Barrett



Labrissa Barrett



Michael Barth



Jants Beam



Lori Benfield



Tammy Benshoff



Lauren Biggers



Jeff Boger



Kristin Booher



Nate Boyle



Paul Brantley



Cheryl Branz



Ann Lee Bressler



Jason Brewer



Ray Brewer



Will Brice



Diane Brown



Lisa Brown



Sabrina Brown



Sandra Brown



William Brown



Laurie Bumgarne



Selah Bunzey



Chavis Burton



Edith Butman



Kortni Campbell



Tim Carman



Guillermo Caro



Lemar Carothers



Lupita Carrasco





Kenny Folt



Micael Fowler



Ruth French



Terry Gantt



Vika Gardner



Steven Gentile



James Gibert



Bill Giduz



Marc Gignac



Mike Gilewicz



Carol Grant



Jill Gremmels



Ashley Griffeth



Andrew Groslimond



Chris Gruber



Michelle Grusli



Suzan Grzeszczak



Linda Gurley



Kathy Hacsart



Ronnie Hager



Matt Hanson



Steve Hariston



Debby Harrison



Karnella Hayne



Sandy Helfgott



Chris Helfrich



Corden Henderson



Jeremy Henney



Ellen Henshaw



Michael Henshaw



Jack Herlong



Casie Hermes



Annie Herzog



Ronnie Higdon



Katy Hoffler



Quinesha Hogans



David Holland



Megan Hollenbeck



Jean Horton



Jane Houston



Denise Howard



LeRoy Howard



Meghan Hughes



Will Hummel



Parker Ingalls



Tammy Ivins



Talvin Izzard



Rachel Jakab



Anthony James



Toya James



Larry Jinks



Tiffany Johnson



Amanda Jones



Lee Jones



Mary Jones



Ed Kania



Janice Karriker



Eileen Keeley



Lynda Keller



Hannah Kim



Brenda King



Richard King



Jania Kirdulhene



Elizabeth Kiser



Kelly Knetsche



Carlotta Knox



Deedee Knox



Gladys Knox



Jennifer Knox



Jeff Kobenschlag



Kelly Koher



Jeff Koontz



John Kuykendall



Frank LaForgia



John Leach



Malcolm Lester



Katie Lipsett



Heather Lohness



Patti Loner



Julie Lucas



Sean Ludden



Cissy Lyles



Joy Manney



Bailey Marietta



Maria Marquez



Leslie Marsicano



Adam Martin



Karen Martin



Jaimee Matthews



Jennifer Mattocks



Joy Mauney



Ben McCain



Erica McCain



Lauralee McDonald



Katy McNay



Robert McSwain



Anna Meadows



Julius Melton



Myelita Melton



Pamela Mercer



Alex Mercure



Matt Merrell



Jessica Mille



Kate Minogue



Louise Mohamed



Aifaro Moises



Chris Monfiletto



Francisco Morales



Johnny Morrison



Ernest Moss



Jim Murphy



Irma Navrro



Dawn Nelson



Winnie Newton



Glynnis O'Donoghue



Evelyn Oates



Patsy Ochs



Tonya Owens



Remy Pagdanda



Debbie Painter



Dahlia Paredes



Leland Parker



Marie Parker



Bob Patnesky



Elisa Payne



Josh Peklo



Jorge Perez



Patty Perillo



Dee Phillips



Jackie Pitzer



Annie Porges



Claire Potter



Joe Privitere



Sunisa Puchakanit



Nancy Randaz



Linda Ray



Ann Renfrew



Georgi Ringle



Lisa Risk



Wendy Roberts



Omar Rodriguez



Gardner Roller-Ligo



Sue Ross





Denise Wilson



Wesley Wilson



Erik Wince



Tabitha Wishon



Karen Wolf



John Young



Mike Zandler







# Faculty









Peter Ahrensdorf



Dan Aldridge



Chris Alexander



Dennis Appleyard



Ben Baker



Robin Barnes



Cole Barton



Tim Beach-Verhey



Ruth Beeston



Mario Belloni





John Berkey



Karen Bernd



Caroline Beschea-Fache



David Blauch



Dan Boye



Frieda Brown



Larry Cain



Shireen Campbell



Verna Case



Tara Chamra



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Kelly Chaston



Keyne Cheshire



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Wolfgang Christian



Suzanne Churchill



Tonya Clay



Ruskin Cooper



Ann Marie Costa



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Joseph Dennis



Vivien Dietz



Hassan El Menyawi



Hansford Epes



Maria Fackler



Nancy Fairley



Brenda Flanagan



Mark Foley



Trent Foley



Ann Fox





Joe Gardner



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Evelyn Gerges



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Irwin Goldstein



Sharon Green



Meghan Griffith



Mike Guasco



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Karen Hales





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Burkhard Henke



Alberto Hernandez-Chiroldes



Peter Hess



Laurie Heyer



Elaine Houser



Annie Ingram



Randy Ingram



Michael Johnson



Gail Kaufman





John Kello



Hilton Kelly



Kyra Kietrys



Ben Klein



Jason Koo



Peter Krentz



Carole Kruger



Vikram Kumar



Zoran Kuzmanovich



Bill Lawing





Neil Lerner



Ralph Levering



Cynthia Lewis



Larry Ligo



Barbara Lom



Fuji Lozada



Andy Lustig



William Mahoney



Magdalena Maiz-Pena



Jane Mangan





Gerardo Marti



Carole Martin



Sarah Mason



Maggie McCarthy



Sean McKeever



Ken Menkhaus



Jim Miller



Paul Miller



Michael Mossinghoff



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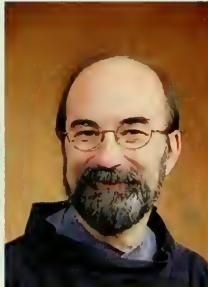




Alan Michael Parker



Thomas Pegelow Kaplan



Karl Plank



Lynn Poland



Jerry Putnam



Julio Ramirez



Shelley Rigger



Bill Ringle



Carlos Rivera



Dave Robb





Susan Roberts



Clark Ross



Tom Ross



Bob Ruth



Matt Samson



Samuel Sanchez-Sanchez



Lola Santamaria



Sophia Sarafova



Cort Savage



Merle Schuh





Pat Sellers



Nina Serebrenikov



Jessica Shade



Ping Shao



Brian Shaw



Charlie Shen



Vivian Shen



Fred Smith



Mark Smith



Shaw Smith





Gregory Snyder



Alica Sparling



Ray Sprague



Lance Stell



Erland Stevens



Durwin Striplin



Paul Stuettmann



Mark Sutch



John Swallow



Job Thomas





Mary Thornberry



Patricia Tilburg



Scott Tonidandel



Michael Tournazou



Kathleen Turner



Mary Vasquez



Eve Veliz



Russ Warren



Fiona Watson



Jarrett Welsh





John Wertheimer



Robert Whitton



Angela Willis



Anne Wills



Lauren Yoder



Douglas Young



John Yukich









Seniors  
2009













Brian Aoyama



Sarah Baley



Brad Bankos



Chad Barnes



Molly Barnes



Cameron Barr



Sarah Bertram



Kevin Birney



Devynn Birx-Raybuck



K.J. Blackwell





Richmond Blake



Allison Bollert



Chris Boswell



Jessica Bradshaw



Schell Bressler



Mary Ross Bryant



T. Howell Burke



Kelli Carroll



Douglas Clark-Brown



Scott Clifford





Sarah Coffey



Kathryn Cole



William Coughlin



Claire Covington



Lazetta Crawford



Caitlyn Culbertson



Cory Cunningham



KC Currie



Nanci Danaher



Angelina Darrisaw





Will De Loache



Emily Powell



Alison Dwyer



Kara Earle



Suzie Eckl



Ellie Ericson



Idris Evans



Scott Frantz



Daphne Fruchtman



Robert Galloway





Jennifer Geyer



Kelly Giles



Kate Graham



Claudia Green



Alex Gregor



Elyse Hamilton



Emily Hammock



Lance Harden



Elaine Hargrove



Michael Harkins





Ebony Harley



Joseph Harvey



William Haynes



Chelsea Henderson



Britti Hirnelfarb



Parker Hobson



Tierney Hodge



Rachel Hope



Anne Horn



Coleman Hubbard





Lydia Hudson



Rivka Ihejinka



Katie Johnston



Stephanie Jones



Alexandra Kalita



Meredith Kanitra



Ali Karami Ruiz



Natalia Kennedy



George Khabarouskiy



Utsha Khatri





Alex Kim



Emily King



Tyler Kirkland



Carolyn Klaasen



Sara Kay Knicely



Emily Koons



Kimberly Lang



Jonathan Leathers



Justin Lee



Rachel Leonard





Matthew Lindale



Deanna Lomax



Tara MacDowell



Ellie Marranzimi



Eric Martin



Kennessee Martin



Alexandra McArthur



Laurin McArthur



David McCavitt



Katherine McCormick





Jay McNair



Ambrice Miller



Emily Mims



Lara Moody



Eric Morel



Rebecca Morton



Whitney Mudd



Kathryn Mulvey



Tiffany Mumby



Kristina Muscalino





David Palko



Gary Parriott



Chieko Phillips



Sarah Rhodes



Ali Rittenberg



Miguel Rodriguez



Cailyn Rood



Kristin Roynesdal



Kathryn Ruark



Emmanuel Schwimme





Caroline Seymour



Courtney Siegel



Mario Silva



DJ Singleterry



Anna Marie Smith



Jonathan Smith



Melanee Smith



Jeremy Snyder



Paul Sorokin



Michael Spangler





Charlotte Steelman



Andrew Stegemann



Sally Stephenson



Anne Stevens



Craig Stewart



Marissa Stewart



Jaclyn Tan



Austin Taylor



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Jessica Totten





Valdehi Trivedi



Benjamin Van Dyke



Jessica Walker



Tess Wallace



Ross White



Danielle Wipperfurth



Marshall Worsham

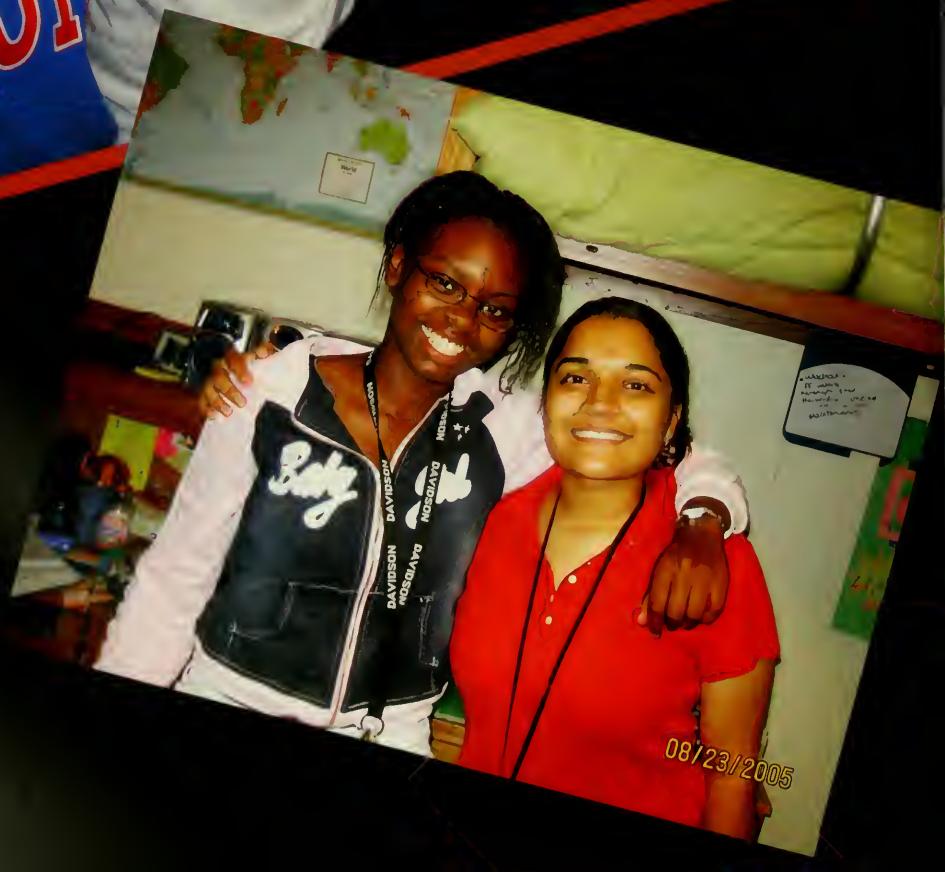


Lisa Zook













Juniors  
2010













Sarah Adams



John Allen



Andrea McElveen



Claire Asbury



Ananta Bangdiwala



Mackenzie Barrow



Ben Bashinski



Matt Baum



Austin Bell



Virginia Berry





Cheli Bieda



Lindsay Brownell



Linnea Buttermore



Wes Calton



Robert Cameron



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Kelsey Chisholm



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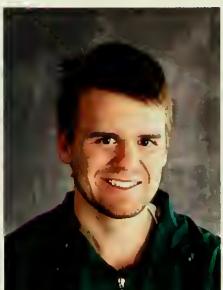
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Jesse Dimmock



Catherine DiSanto



Charles Douglas



Allison Dulin



Mary Eannarino





Lauren Felkel



Robert Flowers



Erin Godla



Amanda Goodman



Andrew Goyzueta



Lindsey Graf



Emily Hassell



Hunter Hedrick



Rebecca Hesselbacher



Olivia Ho-Shing





Meryl Hooten



Reade Jacob



John Jertson



Katherine Johnson



Curry Jones



Michael Jucewicz



Jon Kass



Warner Kennon



Sarah Beth Keyser



Ahad Khan





Upasana Khatri



Allison Kooser



Elizabeth Krebs



Walter Kucera



Elizabeth Lacks



Katharine Laco



Elinor Landess



Robert Lee



David Leslie



Hannah Lyon





Christopher Marsicano



Peggy McKay



Emily Mehta



Natasha Meyer



Sarah Moore



Eric Moretz



Rebecca Morgan



Katie Morris



Aimee Nieuwenhuizen



Robert Palmer





Michelle Pav



Stephen Pierce



Haley Price



Michael Raymond



Mac Read



Allison Ruhe



Brad Satterwhite



Mordecai Scott



Natalie Shave



Baker Shogry





Ericka Solis



Laura Sousa



Zack Stergar



Lindsay Sween



Sarah Teo



Charles Theg



Ellen Thomas



Louis Timberlake



Michele Torsighieri



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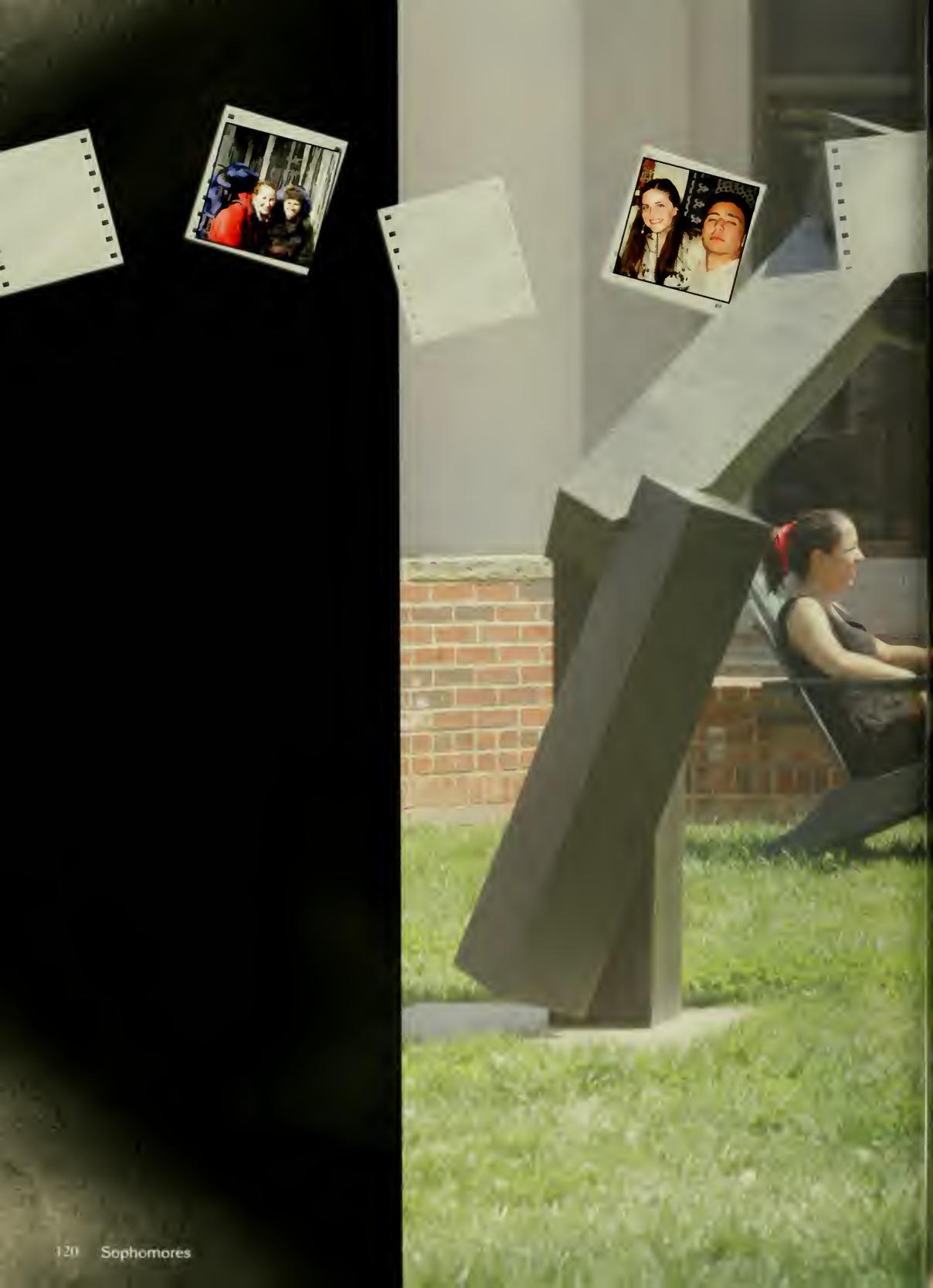












*Sophomores  
2011*













Lejla Agic



Zoe Balaconis



Jorden Benedict



Dylan Bergey



Hannah Bohbrink



Carrie Boyle



Elisabeth Brown



Nick Carney



McKensie Carr



Nicholas Channin





Tanya Chanh



Sarah Cline



Sarah Connette



Katherine Crevi



Kelly Davis



Matthew De Nier



Hugh Dowlen



Megan Endersby



Diego Fernandez



Grace Fletcher





Amanda Flink



Ray Francis



Kaela Frank



Mike Frongello



Hailey Glennie



Danny Goldstein



Elizabeth Gretz



Sarah Griffith



Margaret Gwynn



Tyler Haire





Amanda Hansen



Rosy Harvey



Gray Hoffman



Jamie Hofmeister



Lauren Ivey



Isham Jaysura



Nick Jennison



Diane Kalins



Daisy Karlson



May Thu Khine





Doyoung Kim



Karen Kirk



Maddie Koch



Sydney Kornegay



Nicholas Kruter



William Le Bas



Matthew Lee



Pedro Lehs



Danielle Lemos



Kelly Lence





Jake Leonard



Sarah Little



Jessica Malordy



Kathleen McHugh



Sarah McIlroy



Anne McPherson



Amanda McQuade



Rebecca McQuade



Julia Miller



Maggie Mularz





Genevieve O'Gara



Davis Oakey



Namrata Patel



Michael Pennock



Beth Peters



Angel Phelps



Caitlin Piper



Hannah Pommersheim



Amanda Preston



Elizabeth Quigley





Alexa Richardson



Brittay Rosen



Anum Jaffri



Sarah Satterwhite



Anna Suhring



Brian Tapfer



Daniel Tart



Annie Temmink



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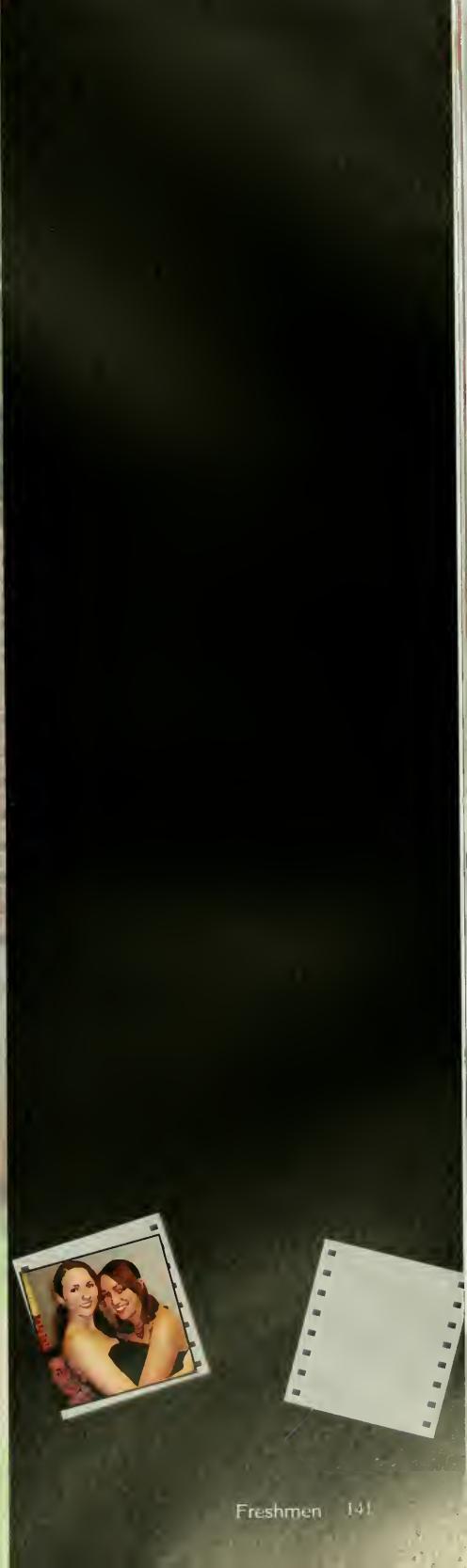








Freshmen  
2012













Marielle Abalo



Jonathan Adams



Iain Addleton



Leslie Adkins



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Joseph Alisto



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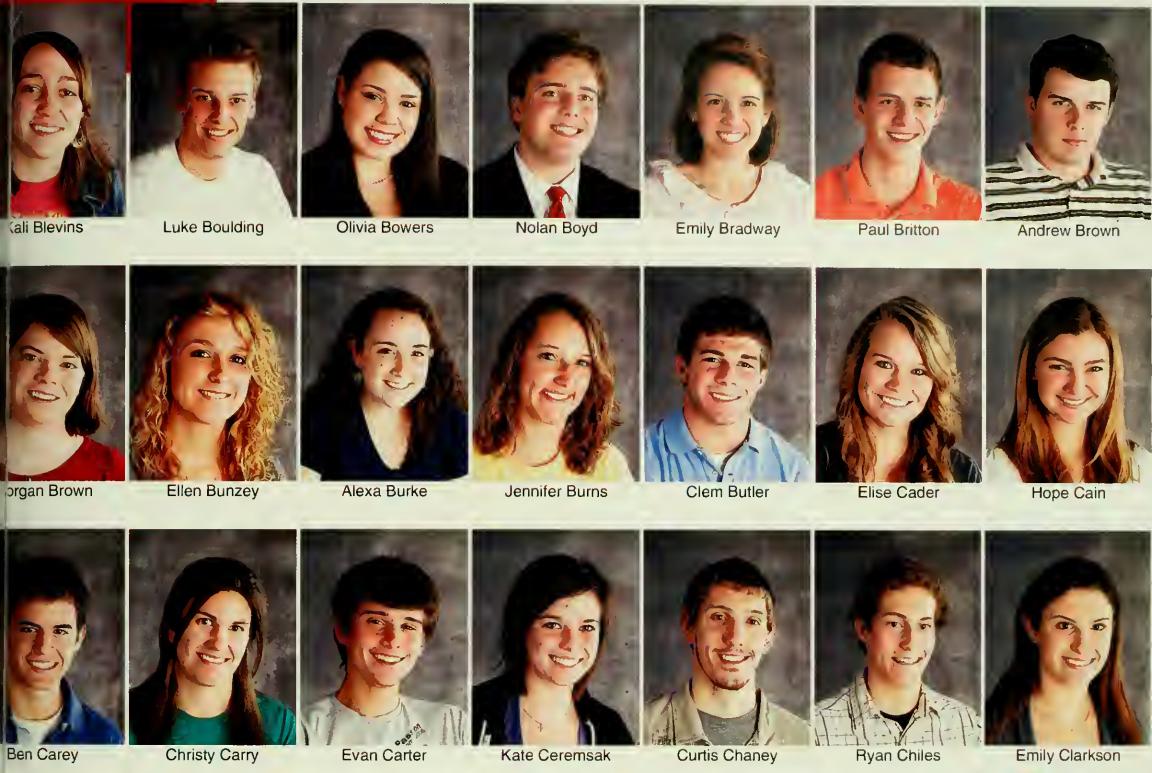


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Adam Devine



Thomas Dimmock



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Lee Dorsei



Danielle Doty



Andrew Evans



Carey Leigh Evans



Katherine Fahy



Rachelle Falk



Ali Farr



Gretta Mae Ferguson







Jessica Hartley



Matt Heavner



Lucy Hedley



Morgan Heinzelmann



Ymadi Hernandez



Zachary Herron



Melissa Hickson



Hayden Higgins



Jarel Hill



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Ben Ireland



Krista Jackson



Hannah Jakob



Meg Jarrell



Lucas Jenkins



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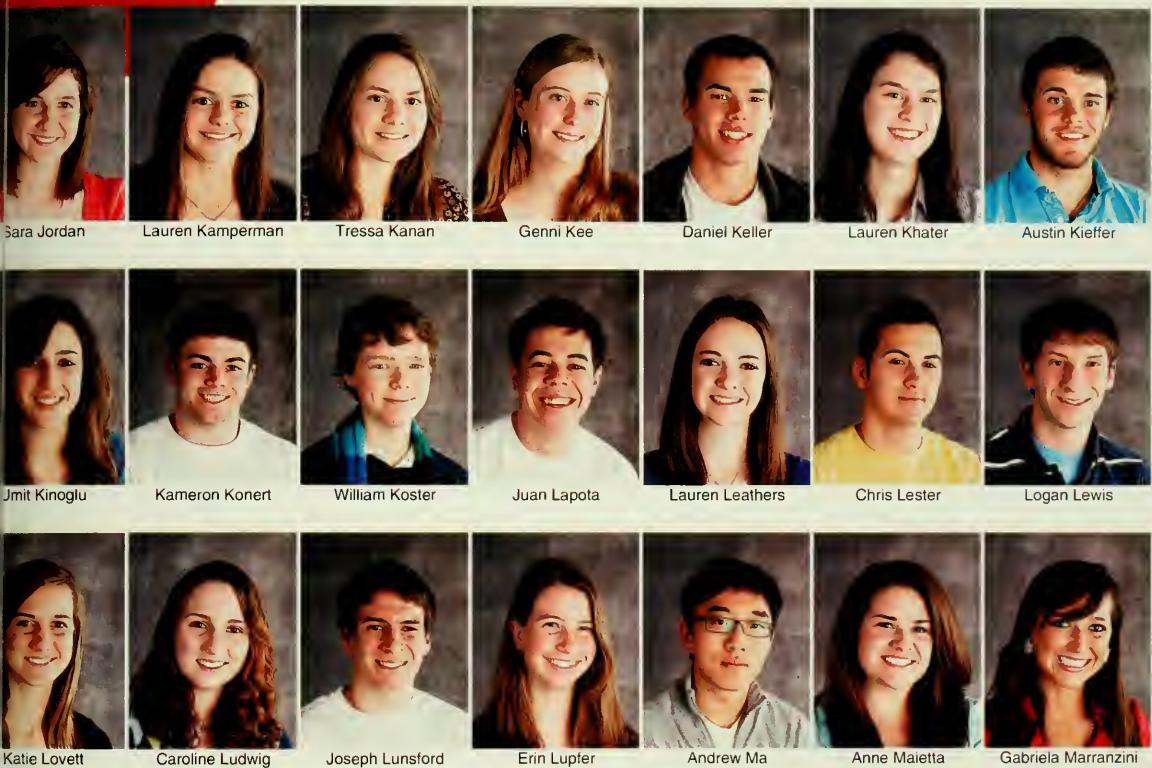


Kara Jones



Sara Jones







Matthew Martin



Emily Matiak



Emily Matras



Molly McDevitt



Travis McElroy



Rachel Means



Wilson Merid



Jared Mimms



Leanna Minix



Hayley Moretz



John Morgan



Patrick Muller



Rachel Mullins



Claire Naisby



Katherine Ness



Sophie Newsom



Jennifer Nicholson



Ashley Nielsen



Nmeli Nnoromele



Dolapo Olushola



Josh Pacions







Madison Rigger



Natasha Rivera



Katrina Rodriguez



Michael Ross



Leah Ruckle



Richard Ruffner



Brian Sachtier



Laney Schenk



Joshua Schwartz



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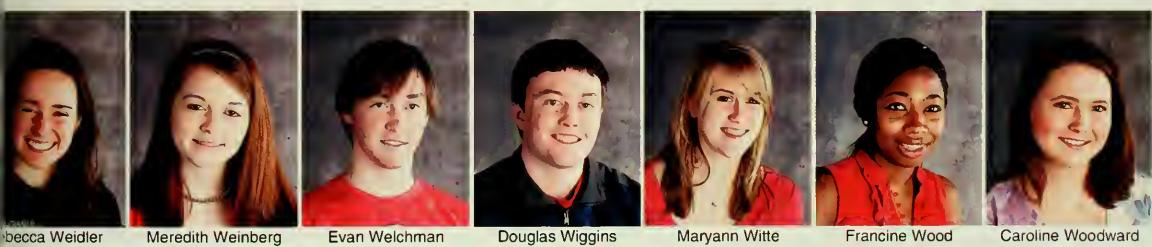


Justin Stafford



Kate Stewart





Alicia York

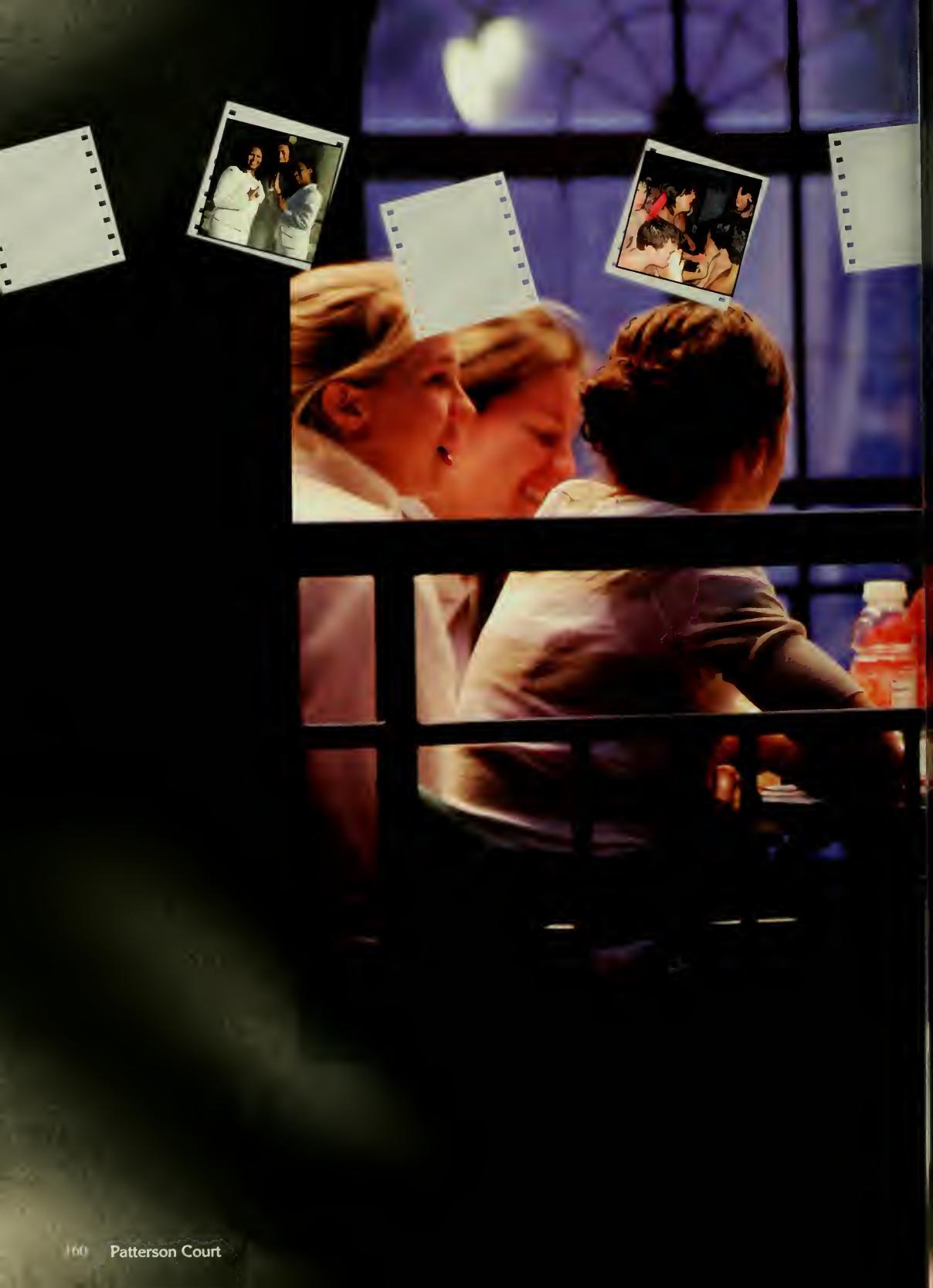




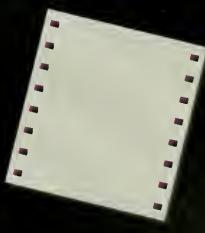




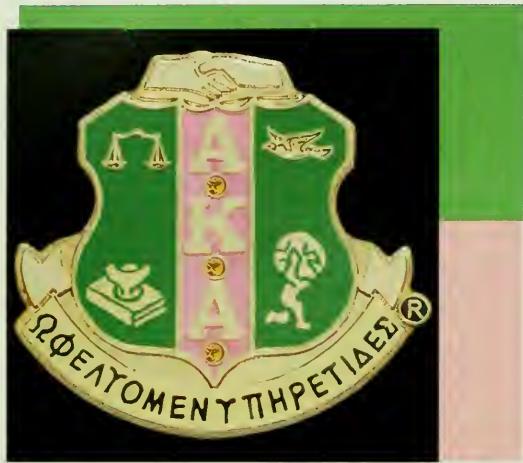




# Patterson Court



# Alpha Kappa Alpha



Alpha Kappa Alpha is the first Greek-lettered sorority established and incorporated by African American college women. The sorority was founded on January 1908 at Howard University in Washington, D.C. The sorority serves through a membership of more than 200,000 women in over 975 chapters in the United States and several other countries. As the Sorority grew, it kept in balance two important themes: the importance of the individual and the strength of an organization of women of ability and courage. The Sigma Psi chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha was established at Davidson College on November 23, 2008 and it is the first sorority at Davidson.



Above: Ebony Harley ('09), Lazetta Crawford ('09), Ambrice Miller ('09), Brit'nee Haskins ('11) and Meikaela Zwierynski ('10) raise money by selling cupcakes for community service.



Left: Seniors Ebony Harley, Angelina Darrisaw, Lazetta Crawford and Ambrice Miller join an Alpha Kappa Alpha alum to celebrate the establishment of Davidson's first sorority.



Right: The ladies of Sigma Psi show off their certificates after becoming members of Alpha Kappa Alpha.



Left: The ladies of Alpha Kappa Alpha display the true meaning of sisterhood.

# Connor



Connor Eating House was founded at Davidson College in 1991. Connor was named for Carol Connor Willingham, Class of 1977, the first trustee to be elected by the Alumni Association. Connor House moved into its current Patterson Court house in 1993.



# Rusk

Rusk Eating House was founded in 1977 as the first women's eating house. Rusk was named for Dean Rusk, Class of 1931 and Secretary of State during the Kennedy and Johnson administrations. Rusk moved into their Patterson Court house in 1977.





Left Page: Top: Amanda Loeb ('11), Meryl Hooten ('10) and Jackie Tan ('09) gather at formal.

Middle: Self-Selection at Rusk.  
Below: Sophmores participate in sisterhoods and Spring Frolics.

Right Page: Top: Ruskies and their dates enjoy the ride to the quarry.

Middle: Lindsey Graf ('10) and Amanda Goodman ('10).

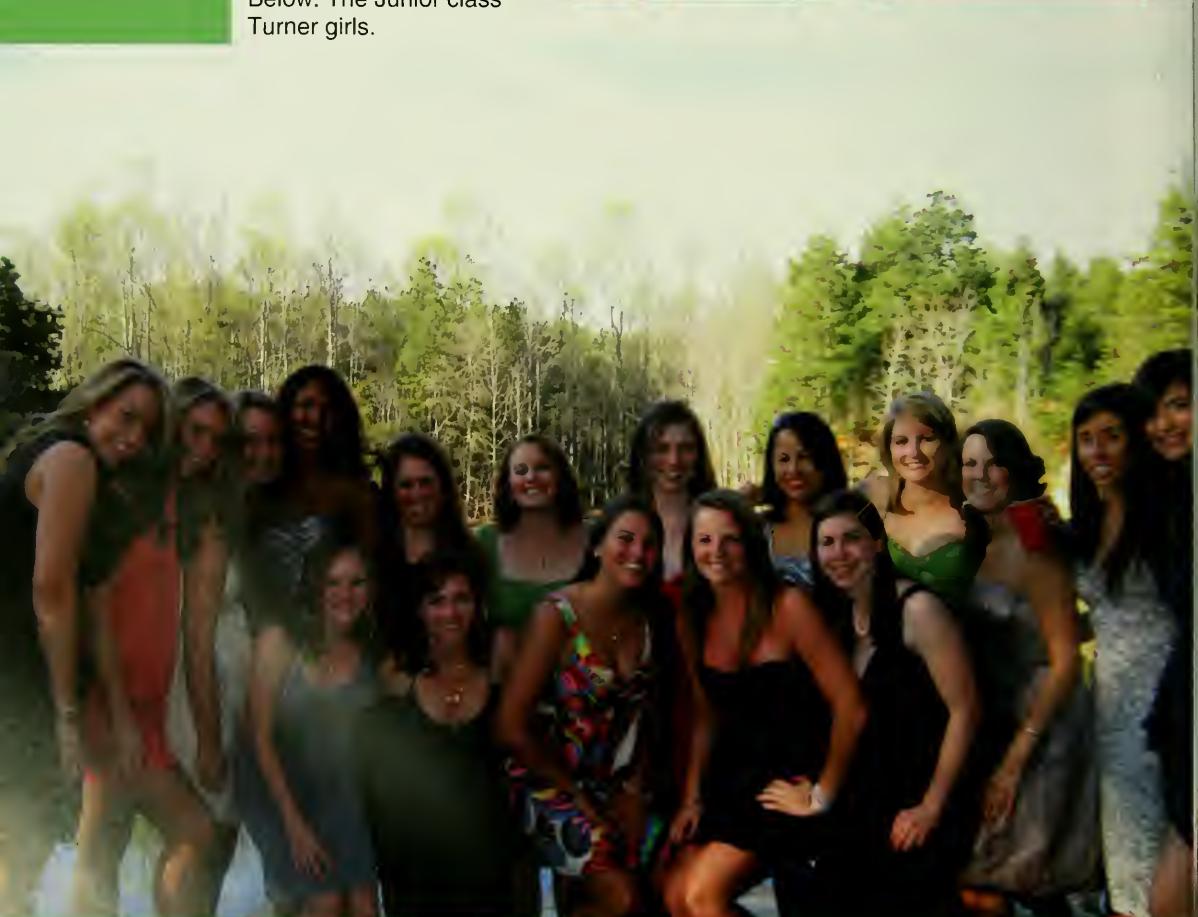
Below Right: Fall president Anne Stevens ('09) and boyfriend Andy Cable ('09).





Right: Kelsey Chisholm ('10) and Megan Riley ('10) at formal.

Below: The Junior class Turner girls.





The Turner Women's Eating House was founded in 1998. It is named after Catherine Turner, Class of 1993, for her role as a service coordinator while at Davidson. Turner's Patterson Court house was built in 1998.



Top: Courtney Sanders ('09) and Caroline Curtiss ('10).  
Left: Turner seniors at formal.  
Right: Caroline McDermott ('09) and Marshall Worsham ('09).

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Top: Warner sisters support each other during frolics.

Below Left: Warner competes in the Tug-of-War contest.

Right Page: Top: Freshmen during self-selection.

Below: President Emily May ('10) shows off her cow-girl wear.





Warner Hall Eating House was founded at Davidson College in 1982. It was named for Warner Hall, Class of 1957. The eating house moved into their Patterson Court house in 1992.







# Alpha Phi Alpha

Eight founding members established the Davidson College chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha in December of 2003. Founded in 1906 at Cornell University as the first intercollegiate Greek letter fraternity established for African Americans, Alpha now includes more than 900 chapters nationwide. It maintains both college-based and alumni affairs and emphasizes lifelong commitment. Once student members graduate from college, they may apply to join alumni chapters. Alumni chapters conduct a high level of service activity and closely support the college chapters.

Alpha demands that members maintain a 2.5 GPA, a tougher requirement than the 2.0 standard of some of Davidson's nationally affiliated fraternities and five eating houses. Alpha requires members to be registered voters and to participate in its national voter registration and monitoring community service programs.





Above: Damion Samuels ('12) leads the rest of his line as they show off their ape stance.

Right: Alpha Kappa Alpha member Claudia Ramirez ('11) and Eddison Wilkinson ('12) pose for a picture showing their Greek love.

Far left: The men of Alpha Phi Alpha welcome their new members during their spring probate: The inauguration.



# Kappa Alpha Psi



Kappa Alpha Psi is comprised of Undergraduate and Alumni Chapters on major campuses and in cities throughout the country. Kappa Alpha Psi was founded on the campus of Indiana University on January 5, 1911. The Fraternity's fundamental purpose is achievement. The ten founders sought a formula that would immediately raise the sights of collegians and stimulate them to accomplishments higher than they might have imagined. Fashioning achievement as its purpose, Kappa Alpha Psi began uniting college men of culture, patriotism and honor in a bond of fraternity. The Pi Mu chapter of Kappa Alpha Psi was chartered on September 28th, 2008. Prior to this year Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity at Davidson College operated out of the Zeta Delta Chapter of Kappa Alpha Psi at The University of North Carolina at Charlotte.



Above: Sophomores Brandon Sykes, showing off their line jackets.

Elliott Campbell and Harvey Kee



Left: The men of Kappa Alpha Psi preparing to pass out Kappa Karnations to the ladies of Davidson.

Below Left: The new men of Kappa Alpha Psi showing off their strength.

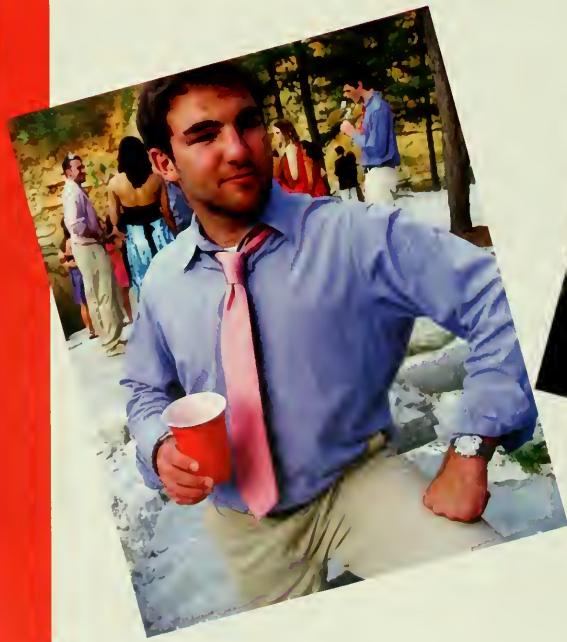
Below Right: Three new members of Kappa Alpha Psi during their spring probate: Original Konsummation.

Bottom Left: Elliott Campbell ('11) posing as Kappa Alpha Psi perform during Decision Davidson at the Unity Greek Picnic.



Our Story

# K A P P A S I G M A



The Delta chapter of Kappa Sigma fraternity was established at Davidson College in 1890. Kappa Sigma moved into their Patterson Court house in 1987.



# Phi Delta Theta



The North Carolina Gamma chapter of Phi Delta Theta was founded at Davidson College in 1928. Phi Delta Theta moved onto Patterson Court in 1958 as one of the original houses.



# Phi Gamma Delta



Fiji members and their dates have fun at formal.

Fiji

The charter for Phi Gamma Delta was granted in 1923. They were in their original house from 1958 to 1971, and then moved back in 2003.



# Sigma Alpha Epsilon

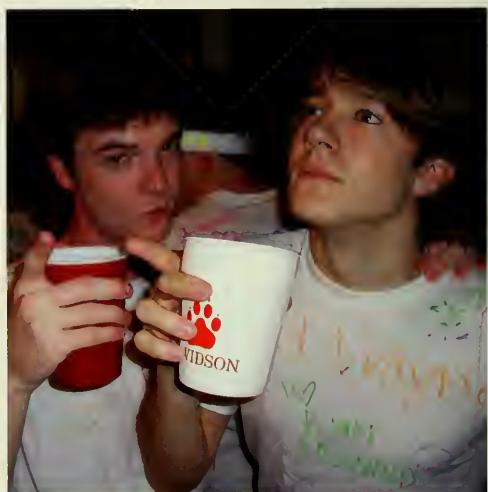


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Patterson Court



SAE brothers share fun moments at fraternity events.



Patterson Court

# Sigma Phi Epsilon



Top Left: Juniors Athan Makansi and Meryl Breeden at formal.

Right: The Junior brothers of Sig Ep  
Bottom Left: Junior Joel Fineman  
relaxes at formal.



ight: Sig Ep freshmen gather for a group shot during formal at Myrtle Beach.

below: Junior officers show off their formal wear.



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# Student Organizations



# ACAA





Left Page: President Jackie Tan ('09) hosts the Chinese New Year celebration. Below: Davidson students of Asian backgrounds display their cultural heritage.

Right Page: Students enjoy Asian cuisine. Below: Community members take part in the New Year celebrations.

# Alternative Breaks



Alternative Fall Break to Long Branch Farm (L to R) Top: Katie Laycock, Megan Endersby, Waylen Roche, Farmer Paul, John Jertson, Carolyn Wakeman, Jack DeLoache. Bottom: Mari O'Connell, Brittany LaFleur, Scott Butler

# Androgyny



Davidson's only co-ed a cappella group, Androgyny, performs throughout the year at Live Thursdays, parents' Weekend, and at the semi-annual Reading Day Eve concert. This year the group was invited to provide live entertainment at a conference in Charlotte. They recently released their latest CD "A Class Act."



# Ars Longa

Ars Longa seeks to facilitate students of all academic disciplines in creating works of visual art and promoting visual arts events campus-wide. In recent years, Ars Longa has hosted renowned artists on campus, organized student photography exhibitions, held weekly figure-drawing classes and offered off-campus ceramic workshops. The club also maintains the darkroom, located in the basement of Belk Visual Arts Center.



Ars Longa, with the Environmental Action Coalition, the Black Student Coalition, the Art Department, and the Van Every/Smith Galleries, cosponsored a weekend-long art trip to Alabama.

# BSC

The Black Student Coalition (BSC) serves as a venue primarily for, but not limited to, students of color at Davidson to express their cultural heritage. Along with support and participation of the wider community, we seek to spread awareness and education about the cultural, political, and social needs of those in the black community.



# Cats Connect

This year was Cats Connect's kick-off year. As a mentorship organization that seeks to better unite the campus and greater community, it did a great job during its first year. From the Fall Kick-Off Event to Cats Connect with Special Olympics, Cats Connect is looking forward to bigger and better events as the years go on and its experience progresses.

Right: Heath Pelham, Stephen Powell, Melissa Hickey, Allison Drutchas, Jean Wilson-Stayton, Stephanie Gerow, Neely Meeks, and Abi Johnson



Above: Brian Sachtjen helps a Special Olympian



Left: First Cats Connect E-Board: Melanee Smith, Livi Tait, Kristi Muscalino, Jean Wilson-Stayton, Neely Meeks, Teresa Wang, Colby Uptegraft, Abi Johnson, and Heath Pelham

# Cheerleading



# Chorale and Choir



# College Republicans



College Republicans serves to promote the principles of the Republican Party among members of the Davidson College campus and community, as well as to aid the election of Republican candidates. It also encourages and develops conservative political discussion, discourse, and involvement on campus. In the fall of 2008, College Republicans helped sponsor a series of panels and took part in a debate with Young Democrats in order to raise election awareness.



# Dance Ensemble



Dance Ensemble represents the largest organization on campus that focuses on a fall and spring dance showcase. This year, dance routines ranged from hip hop, belly dancing, and salsa, to tribal dances from Ghana and the New Zealand Maoris. Dance Ensemble is all student-run, student performed, and student choreographed.





# Dance Team

The Davidson College Dance Team works to encourage spirit and support for Davidson athletics among both students and the Davidson community and to support and develop appreciation of the arts on campus. The team aims to provide an opportunity for advanced dancers to perform in a variety of venues at Davidson and to provide the college campus and the surrounding community with high-quality jazz and hip-hop based entertainment. Typical performance venues include football games, basketball games, pep rallies, "A Night with the Cats," and Dance Ensemble shows, although the team has performed at other kinds of events and is constantly looking to increase its performance time and presence on campus.



# The Delilahs

After its founding in 1998 by five students, the Davidson Delilahs have grown in membership, talent, and repertoire and are currently well-established as Davidson College's only all-female a cappella group. The group is entirely student-run and selects members based on an auditions process, typically in the fall of each academic year. The Delilahs perform at a variety of events on campus and in the community each year, and have recorded and released a total of four CDs.



# Davidson International



The Davidson International Organization is a student run club which aims to spread awareness of the various international cultures on the Davidson College campus. Representing some 70 international students from 30 different countries of background, DIA provides an outlet for students to share and express their cultures and traditions. Together international students organize and host the annual International Festival where they provide food for sampling from their various homelands and set up wonderful, colorful displays of photographs, art, music, and souvenirs for viewing. Other events hosted by DIA include the intensely competitive International Trivia Night where Davidson students compete for prizes by answering challenging trivia questions about geography, culture, landmarks, and other categories from the world over. As part of our outreach, DIA holds an annual Multicultural Kids Day in conjunction with Ada Jenkins to promote international awareness among younger members of the community. Additionally, the fall of 2007 marked DIA's first International Film Festival which showcased a variety of international films such as the German Oscar-winning film *The Lives of Others*, the Korean hit *Oldboy*, the infamous Argentinian film *The Italian*, and Penelope Cruz's *Volver*. DIA has grown and developed over the years and hopes to bring more international awareness to the world's Davidson community.

# Association



# Davidson



# Outdoors



Davidson Outdoors (DO) works to increase awareness and appreciation for nature by providing outdoor and other recreational activities to the Davidson College community. An organization of about eighty certified trip leaders, DO provides various opportunities to encourage the growth of personal qualities such as leadership, self-reliance, confidence, and initiative in a fun and open environment. We cater to various interests such as backpacking, canoeing, kayaking, backcountry cooking, trail maintenance, climbing, cycling, challenge course activities, and more. The organization continues to grow and change, working to serve the desires and needs of the college campus as they relate to DO's philosophy of environmental consciousness and student development.





# The Davidson Show





Left Page: Producer Austin Bell ('10) makes a closing speech at the Davidson Show Awards. Senior cast members give a comical farewell.

Right Page: Cast members receive and give out awards for various talents.

# ENVIRONMENTAL ACTION COMMITTEE



Galen King '10, Elizabeth Court '11, and Peggy McKay '10 sell tickets at the door for the 5th annual Green Ball, held in the Chambers Lilly Gallery on February 13th.



David Baker '11 and Sydney Kornegay '11 strike a pose at the Green Ball.



The Environmental Action Coalition exists to help the Davidson community appreciate our planet's natural environments, their value to humanity, and their vulnerability to human impact. The EAC serves to 1) educate the Davidson community about current environmental issues; 2) advocate for environmental health and justice, and enable others to do likewise; and 3) improve the sustainability of the Davidson community itself.

Environmental issues that the EAC addresses include but are not limited to the following: food, water, conservation, energy, waste, policy, and environmental justice. The EAC brings together interested and/or curious students from different backgrounds and empowers them to fulfill EAC's role within the community, reaching out also to infrequent participants in EAC events. The EAC, when possible, assists other student organizations interested in planning their own environmentally themed programming.

# Gamut Dance Company



The Gamut Dance Company is a small student-run audition-based dance group on campus. We provide technically trained and advanced dancers the opportunity to grow and perform as dancers and choreographers. We focus on the artistry and creative integrity of choreography and dance while fostering and increasing student body awareness and exposure to the dance arts. We perform excerpts from Tchaikovsky's "The Nutcracker" every December in the 900 Room and have an annual performance in the spring. Our spring performance features both professional and student choreography that is accepted on a proposal basis. We have provided experienced dancers the opportunity to grow artistically and intellectually as performers as well as choreographers.



# The Generals



The Davidson Generals are the oldest a capella group at Davidson. As the only all-male group, the Generals enjoy the privilege of serenading students at the annual Valentine's Day concert. They also produced a new CD this year.

# Gay Straight Alliance



Pictures from the Gaypril event in the spring.

Left: Senior Student Health Advisors scoop ice cream on a Friday afternoon.

Below: Participants in the Gaypril Tie-dye event pose for a picture in front of the tie-dyed T-shirts.





# MCF

Methodist College Fellowship meets on Monday nights at the Molly McKay Youth House for music, discussion, and fellowship, and goes on retreats every fall and spring. All are welcome! Pictured above: Ann Watford, Jeremy Snyder, and Jamie Hofmeister lead the singing. Below: MCF members celebrate the end of the year



# Interspiritual Alternative Break



InterFaith volunteers: Elaina Reinsvold, Carey Leigh Evans, Carrie Boyle, Kelly Lence, Tiffany Pham, Jesse Johnson, Marie Lupe Guerrero, Cathy Marques, and Jacqui Logan



# O.L.A.S

Organization of Latin American Students

OLAS aims to foster and maintain a spirit of solidarity among students interested in Hispanic cultures, including but not limited to Spanish speaking countries and their descendants. OLAS is an all-inclusive organization committed to promoting awareness of the uniqueness of Hispanic cultures by providing a wide range of opportunities to participate in social, cultural, and/or community service events for all Davidson students, Hispanic or non-Hispanic.





Jalapeño eating contest



OLAS members at the Reggaeton party



OLAS trip to  
Las Torres

# OOPS!



Oops, Davidson's improv comedy troupe, performs at Live Thursdays in the 900 Room.

# Reformed University Fellowship





Pictures from the Florentine Dinner.

Left: Elizabeth Lacks ('10) serves dessert.

Below: the staff of the Florentine dinner, including opera performer Rieti Gengo ('10).

Top Right: The staff show-off their project.

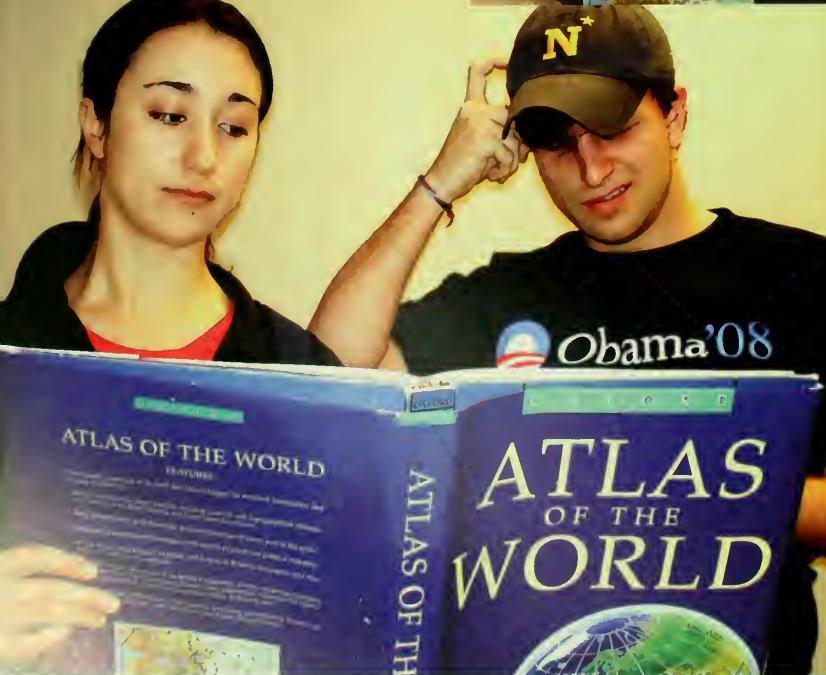
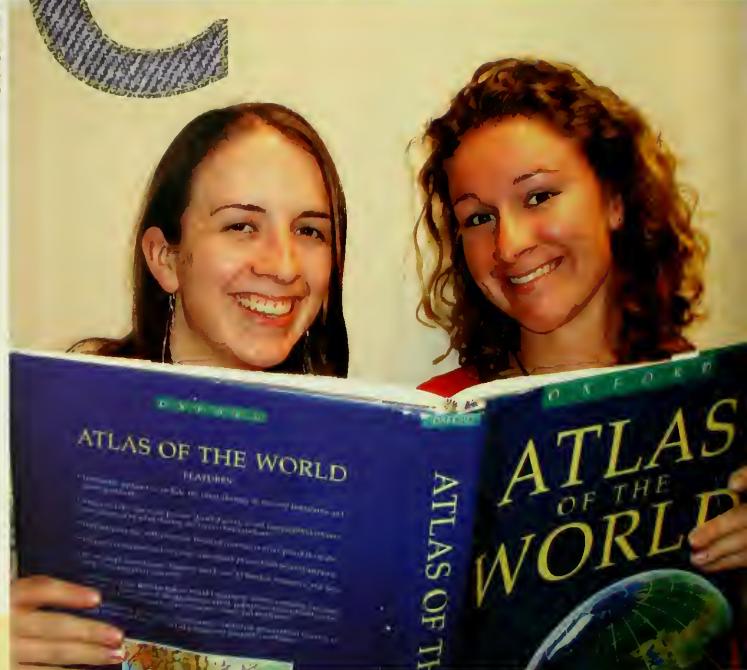
Bottom Right: Students enjoy a Florentine meal.





# SAC

The Dean Rusk Student Activities Advisory Committee (SAC) conceives and implement ideas for programs, plans cultural events and study breaks, and publishes a newsletter on current events.



# Club Sailing



The Davidson Sailing Club provides an opportunity for sailors of all experience levels to sail in the collegiate setting. The club sails out of the college's Lake Campus, a 106 acre lakefront facility located 7 miles from the campus. The club competes against other colleges in the South Atlantic Intercollegiate Sailing Association (SAISA), a division of the Inter-Collegiate Sailing Association (ICSA). The club holds practices several times per week, and attends multiple regattas hosted by other colleges each semester. This year the club purchased two new practice boats and was augmented by a good group of experienced freshmen who provide a good level of experience to the roster. The club did well competing at Clemson in the spring, taking home 7th out of 12 teams, 9 in attendance, thus paving the way for a successful season next year.



# Shades of Brown



The Step Team performs during the Davidson Show Awards in May



# Sistahs of Essence



The Sistahs of Essence E-board



**S** Students Together Reaching for Individual Development and Education Program, also known as S.T.R.I.D.E, is a peer mentoring program designed to support first year ethnic minority students with their adjustment to Davidson College. A series of designed experiences offer academic, cultural, and social support as well as vital information to aid students in understanding and working effectively within the college community.

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Mentors and Mentees at the Asheboro Zoo





Above: S.T.R.I.D.E. mentors for the 2008-2009 academic year.

Below: Members at the Battle of the Bands in Atlanta, Ga.



# Triathalon Club



Davidson College Triathlon Club after the Take Flight Triathlon (L to R): Megan Endersby, Nick Carney, Nick Chanin, Stephen Vogel, Lisle Gwynn (all sophomores)

# Weekly College Worship



Weekly College Worship seeks to be a community of grace in which all are welcome to gather for Christian worship. Our services incorporate music and liturgy from around the world, appreciation for the arts, quiet reflection, and a monthly celebration of communion. Through community and worship, we are strengthened for the works of justice, dignity and love.

# Men's Ultimate Frisbee



This year, the Men's Ultimate team had yet another successful season. The addition of freshman Evan Carter ('12) gave our team a huge boost after losing key players to last year's graduating class. Our fall tournament record was highlighted by a second place finish at the Dave Baldwin Memorial in Knoxville, TN. We also notched victories against state rivals NC State and UNC-Wilmington at the Classic City Classic in Atlanta, GA.

This spring, we traveled over 2,500 miles to play in various tournaments across the country. An early season tournament in Orlando, FL gave us experience against regional foes Florida and Central Florida. After our first-ever team Spring Break trip to Fort Lauderdale, we competed at the Tally Classic in Tallahassee, FL. We were able to bring a strong team of 23 on a flying trip to Austin, TX where we competed at Centex, one of the nation's premiere tournaments. We finished with a 5-2 record and built up momentum going into the college championship series.



# Women's Ultimate Frisbee



The Davidson Women's Ultimate Frisbee team had our most successful season ever. In the fall, we competed in 2 tournaments, focusing on training new freshmen in preparation for the upcoming season. The spring season began with a successful trip to Gainesville, FL for the Florida Winter Classic, and we collected big wins over Tennessee and Emory. The team then traveled to the Tallahassee Classic, and despite low numbers and hot weather, reigned victorious with a big victory over Notre Dame. Next, Davidson women notched our best tournament performance ever, placing fifth out of 32 teams at the nationally competitive Southerns Tournament. We then began the spring series, placing third at the North Carolina Sectional tournament with big wins over Emory and NC State. This qualified the team for the Atlantic Coast Regional tournament in Charlotte, where the team finished 9th for the second year in a row.



# Union



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# Board



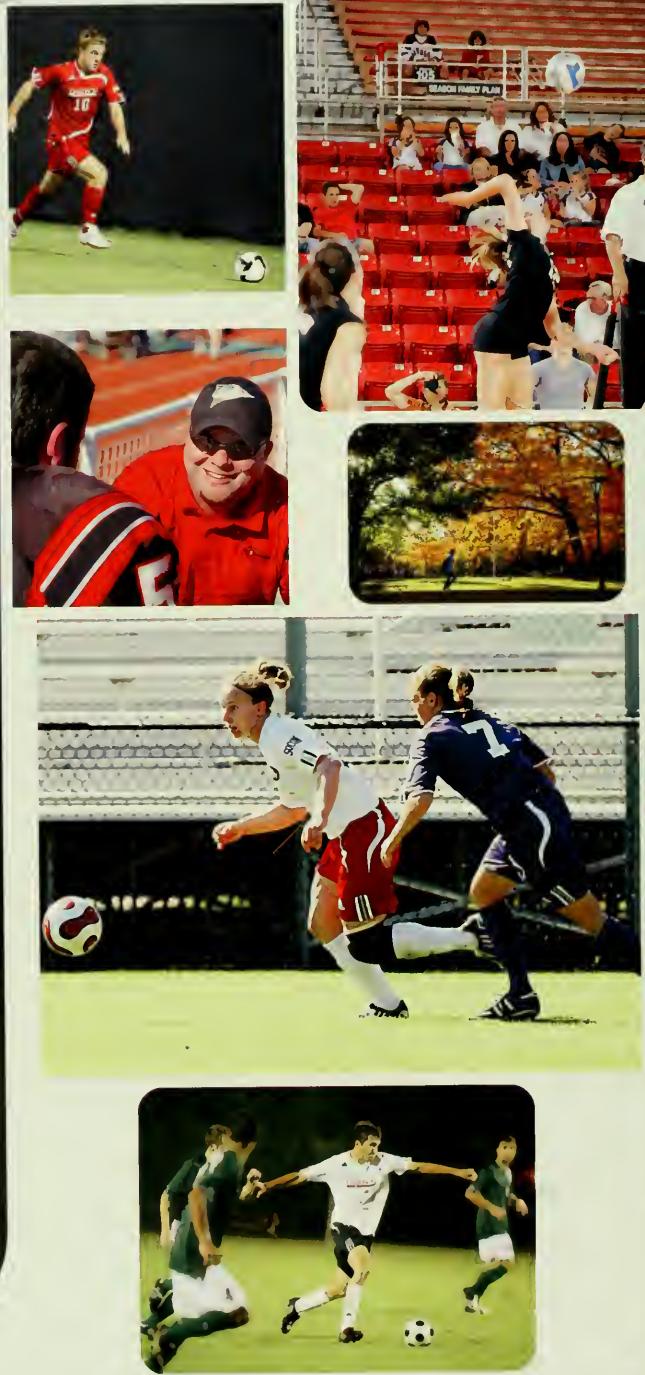


# Varsity Sports



# FALL SPORTS

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Above: The football team brings it in for a cheer.

Right: Davidson offense assumes control of the ball.



Cross Country

Field Hockey

Football

Soccer

Volleyball



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A Davidson  
man needs no  
introduction.  
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# Men's Cross Country and Track





## ROSTER

Ehsan Akbari  
J.J. Alston  
Peter Bruton  
Tom Divinnie  
Lee Dorsey  
Blake Evitt  
Will Funderburg  
Lance Harden  
Ryan Hopkins  
Alex Hoyt  
Bryce James,  
Jonathan Koch  
Jake Leonard  
Greg Marcil  
Taylor Martin  
Stephen Powell  
Gonzalo Sanchez Slik  
Charlie Schmitt  
Mordecai Scott  
Thad Sieracki  
Jon Springfield  
Melaku Teka  
Ian Tupper



# Women's Cross-Country and Track

## ROSTER

Bea Bush  
Hope Cain  
Lauren Childs  
Sarah Cline  
Catherine Clodfelter  
Kim Colley  
Heather Conarroe  
Sarah Frederick  
Jane Gay  
Emily King  
Kim Lang  
Erin Lupfer  
Kenesia Martin  
Alyssa Moudy  
Rachel Mullins  
Kittery Neale  
Danielle Ruggieri  
Caroline Sanker  
Brooke Senken  
Anna Stockmore  
Katy Swain  
Abbey Thibeault  
Danielle Wright





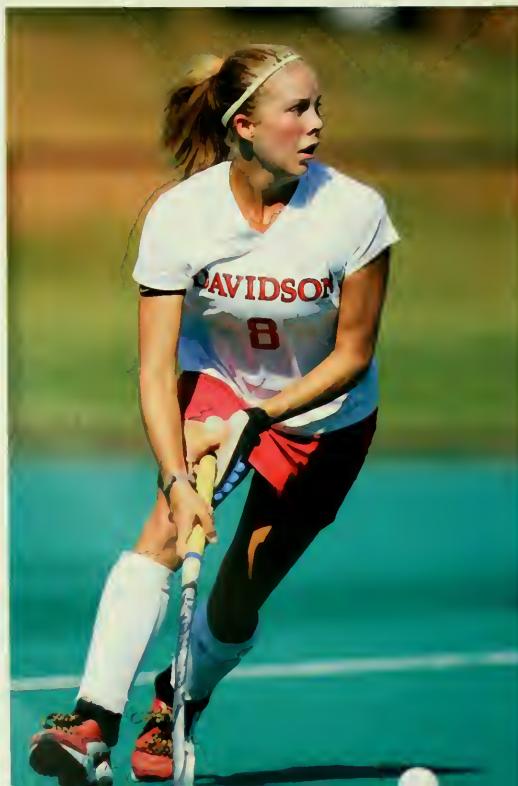
# Field Hockey

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## ROSTER



Mary Clay  
Hannah English  
Tyler Kirkland  
Liz Luckey  
Steph Meador  
Jennie Mostellar  
Courtney Tobe  
Britti Himelfarb  
Ellie Szykowny  
Meg Jarrell  
Molly Palilonis  
Hannah Lawrence  
Lisa Landoe  
Sara Addison  
Christine Rua  
Krista Jackson  
Sara Stevens  
Lauren Calve  
Clare Perry  
Gray Robinson  
Christa Goeke  
Brittany Rollek  
Amanda Vredenburgh  
Kathelijn van der Ven

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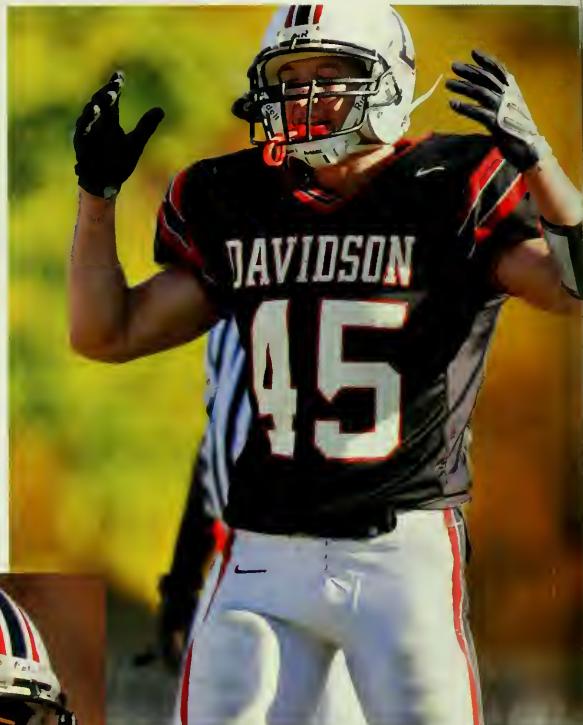
Left: Senior Britti Himelfarb takes control of the game.  
Right: Davidson goalie Christa Goeke makes a save.  
Below: The team celebrates a goal.



# Football

## Record

### 4-7



Left: Chad Barnes ('09).  
Above: Peter Bakke ('09).  
Far Right: Kirk Konert ('09).  
Right: Will Nolte ('09).  
Below: Ryan Alexander ('09) and Joe Tabler ('10).





## ROSTER

1 Jonathan Adams 2 Matt Heavner 3 Brandon Sykes 4 Harvey Kee 5 Justin Williams 6 Mordecai Scott 7 Logan Cannon 8 Tyler Lemons 9 Myles Potter 10 Ryan Alexander 11 Rodney Lasher 12 Michael Blanchard 13 Tyler Hammett 14 Ben Sarver 15 Peter Kidwell 16 Matt Mann 17 Matt Guerrieri 18 Matt Easton 19 Andrew Aldrich 20 Seyi Aþorinde 21 Mark Hanabury 22 Clem Butler 23 K.J. Blackwell 24 Brandon Giles 25 Elliott Campbell 26 Malcolm Moses-Hampton 27 Matt Mikrut 28 Brian Kelly 29 Sean Simmons 30 Erich Crowson 31 John Behm 32 Patrick Hunt 33 Chad Barnes 34 D.J. Singleterry 35 Aaron Curley 36 Ben Behrendt 37 Kam Konert 38 Chase Culbertson 39 Will Pickens 40 Brandon Yeargan 41 Phillip Swanger 42 Kirk Benedict 43 Kenny Mantuo 44 Ellis Martin 45 Peter Bakke 46 Preston Eldridge 47 Kwame Som-Pimpeng 48 Daniel Astrop 49 Philip Sineath 50 Richard Lockridge 51 Shane Purvis 52 Will Nolte 53 Colin Wint 54 Robert Wilk 55 Brandon Wright 56 Alex Fleming 58 Gianni Ricci 59 Joe Newlon 60 Mark Iafrate 62 Joe Cline 65 Jason Perillo 66 Will Funderburg 68 Reed Ryan 71 Marshall Ellis 72 Joe Tabler 74 Brandon Davenport 75 Zenus Wilson 78 Drew Daniller-Varghese 79 Jack Middlebrooks 82 Will Norris 83 Zach Calucchia 85 Josh Yost 88 Kirk Konert 89 Brenton Goodman 90 Bo Swanson 91 Nick Savarino 92 Ethan Clark 93 Daniel Hauffe 94 Josh Arthur 95 Morgan Popham 96 Aaron Saltzman 98 Alex Griswold 99 Andrew Wohler

# Men's Soccer





#### ROSTER

Matt McElroy  
Chip Sanders  
Robby Goldsberry  
Cameron Griffin  
Hunter Hayes  
Juan Duque  
Liam Bracken  
Petri Lindberg  
A.J. Grant  
Charlie Reiter  
Whitney Bolan  
Kyle Engle  
Clinton Smith  
Mark Millard  
Alex Caskey  
Machel Turner  
Josh Zipin  
Greg Macnamara  
Tim Roark  
Luke Boulding  
Garrett Bostwick  
Mauricio Simms  
Robert O'Donnell  
Peter Shelton  
Yannick Pilgrim  
Dennis Shannon

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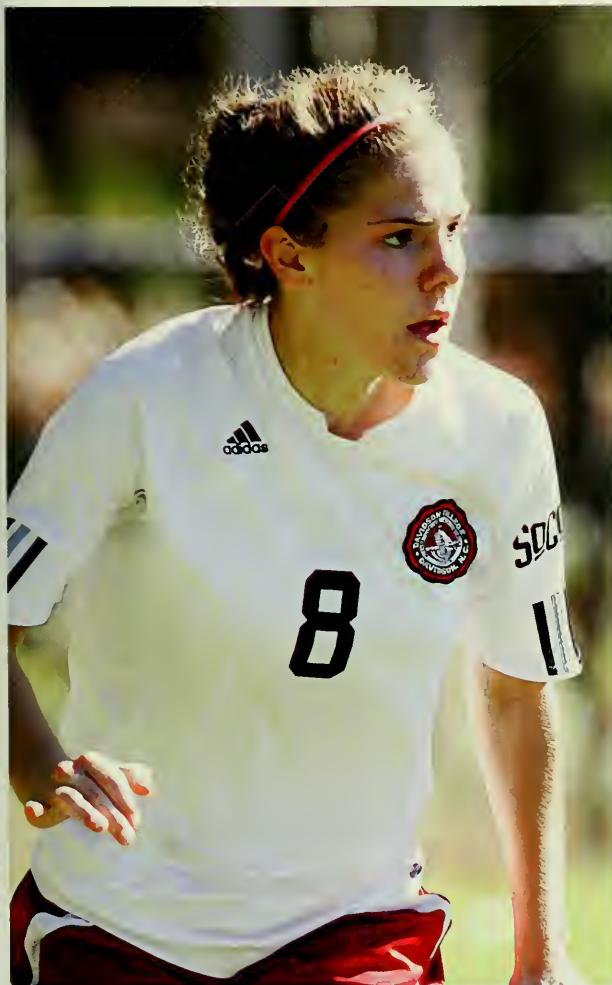
# Women's Soccer



## ROSTER

Beth Peters  
Loring Ward  
Christy Carry  
Elizabeth Underwood  
Stephanie Gerow  
Tracy McCausland  
Tiffany Mumby  
Sophie Newsom  
Allison Drutchas  
Courtney Hart  
Melanee Smith  
Blakely Low  
Mary Marshall Meredith  
Neely Meeks  
Katherine Laco  
Chloe King  
Kyri Bye-Nagel  
Kate McCormick  
Suzanne Sittko  
Amanda Flink  
Lauren Conner  
Claire Naisby  
Callan Elswick  
Alli Rittenberg  
Lexi Rittenberg  
Sophie Funderburk  
Jessie P. Cox





## Record 10-6-3

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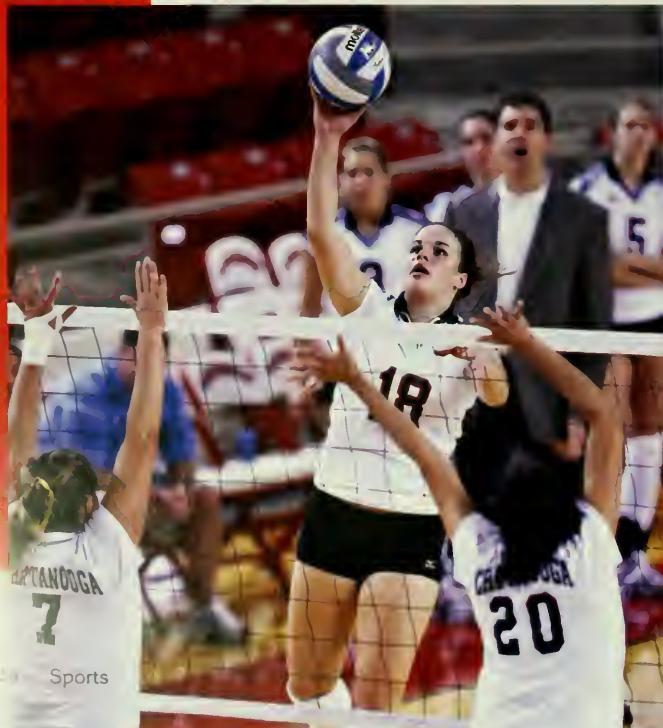
Bottom Right: Allison Drutchas ('11)

Right Page: Top Left: Sophie Funderburk ('10)

Top Right: Melanee Smith ('09)

Below: Courtney Hart ('10)

# Volleyball



## ROSTER

Hayley Lawson  
Jessica McAlvany  
Jennifer Chamblee  
Madison Benedict  
Christine Perzinski  
Megan Parks  
Alison Dwyer  
Anna Bradbury  
Tierney Hodge  
Erin Lupfer  
Sarabeth Peele  
Ally Miller  
Jorden Benedict  
Brittany Narr  
Lindsay Paroczai  
Kittery Neale

Left Page: Bottom Left: Kittery Neale ('09)

Right Page: Top Right: Erin Lupfer ('12)

Below :Left: Hayley Lawson ('11)

Below Right: Megan Parks ('09) and  
Jordan Benedict ('11)

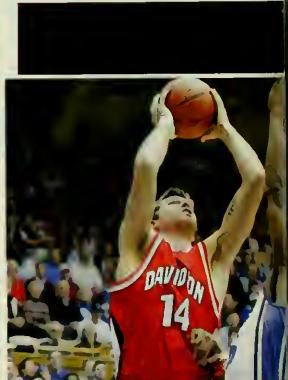


## Record 12-20



# WINTER SPORTS

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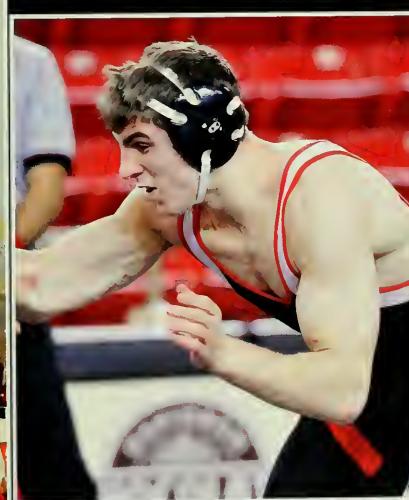


Above: Max Paulhus Gosselin battles the Du defense.

Right: Freshman diver Ben Lane prepares to tuck.



Basketball  
Swimming and  
Diving  
Wrestling



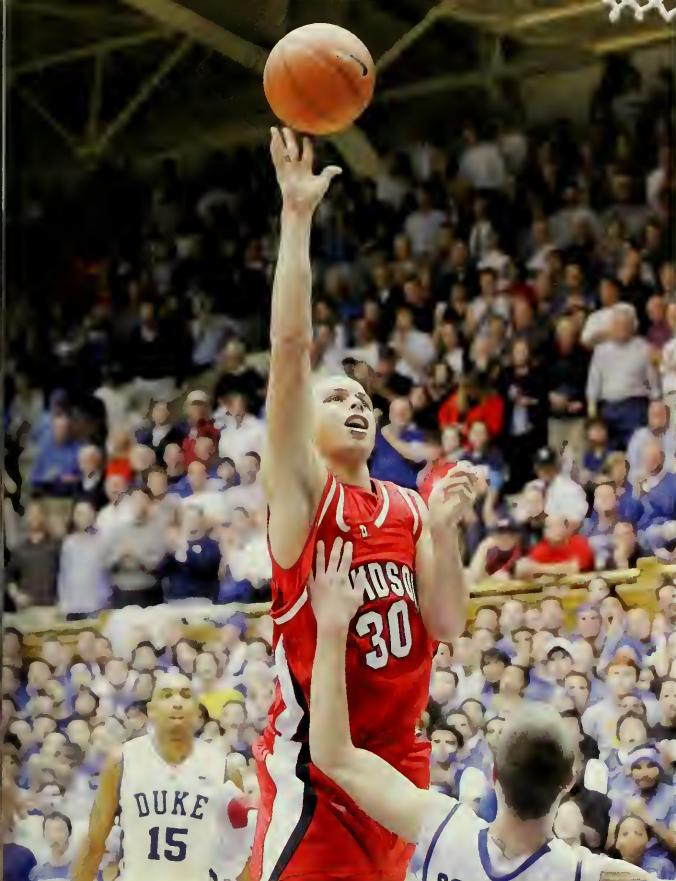
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# Men's Basketball



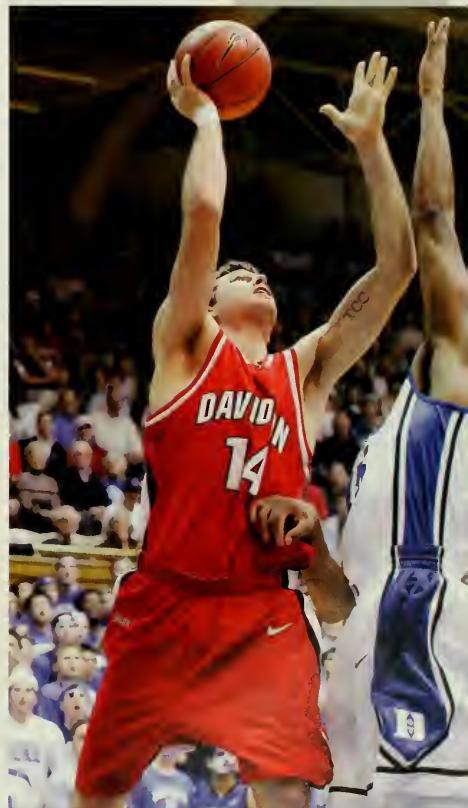
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 Dan Nelms  
 Max Paulhus Gossellin  
 Will Reigel  
 Stephen Rossiter



Record 27-8

COACHES

Head Coach:  
 Bob McKillop  
 Assistant Coaches:  
 Jim Fox  
 Matt McKillop  
 Terrell Ivory



Above: Stephen Curry ('10) scores over a defender.  
 Far Right: Max Paulhus Gosselin ('09) takes the ball hard to the basket.

Below: The team waits for the game to begin.  
 Far Left: William Archambault ('10) drives past a defender.  
 Left: Andrew Lovedale ('09) looks to set up a play.

# Women's Basketball



Right: Ashley Lax ('11) drives past a defender.  
Far Right: Mercedes Robinson ('09) shoots over a defender.  
Bottom Right: Julia Paquette ('10) powers through the paint.  
Far Left: Kristen Johnsen ('12) takes the ball to the basket.  
Left: Mandy Halbersleben ('09) dribbles up the floor.

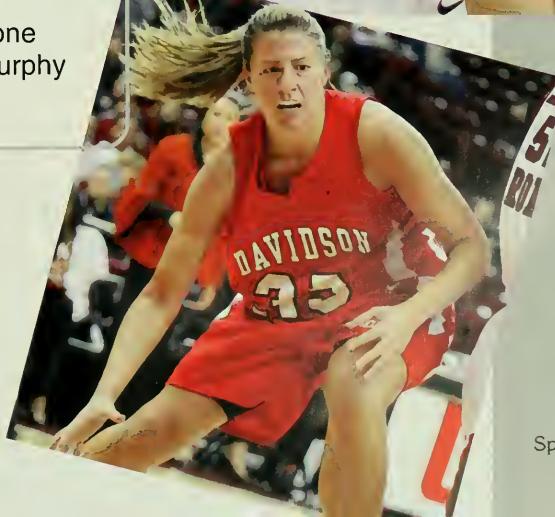
Record 12-18

#### ROSTER

Kelly Gardner  
Mandy Halbersleben  
Logan Hartman  
Kristen Johnsen  
Monica Laune  
Ashley Lax  
Amanda Ottaway  
Julia Paquette  
Christina Perez  
Mercedes Robinson  
Alexandra Thompson  
Chloe Woodington

#### COACHES

Head Coach:  
Annette Watts  
Assistant Coaches:  
Ken Butler  
Kelly Morrone  
Marlena Murphy



# Swimming & Diving

## Women's Roster

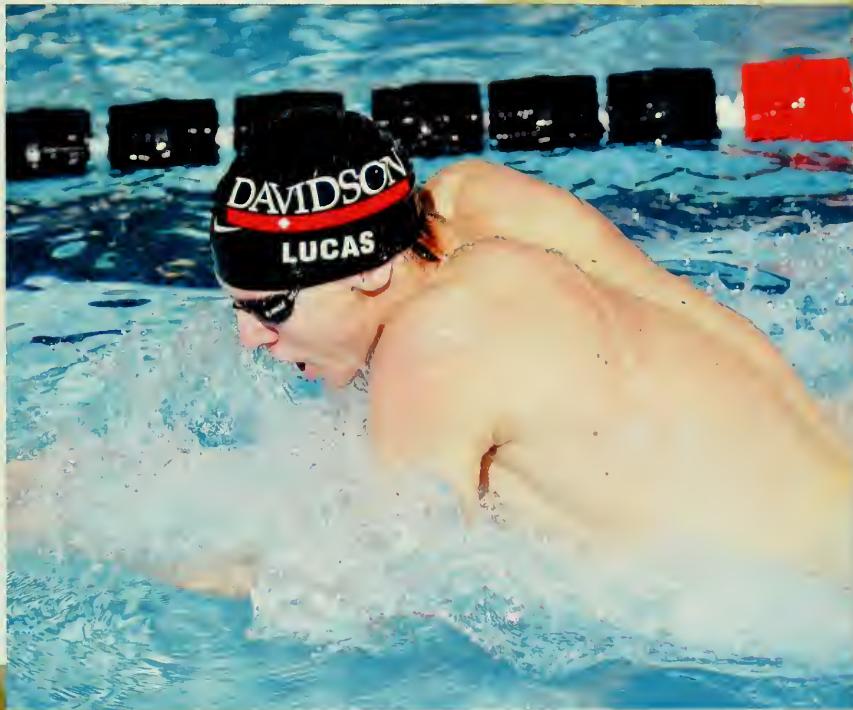
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Linnea Buttermore  
McKensie Carr  
Emily Castle  
Kelsey Chisholm  
Caroline Curtiss  
Jessica Delgehausen  
Casey Gemunder  
Lauren Kamperman  
Meagan Madden  
Lindsey Martin  
Madeline Parra  
Juliana Porter  
Alanna Ream  
Alexa Richardson  
Courtney Sanders  
Anna Stringfield  
Hailey Szymczak  
Jessica Totten  
Casey Van Tassell  
Lynea Witczak  
Stephannie McKinney



## Men's Roster

Tenant Brastow  
Joe Burquist  
Brad Carman  
Curtis Chaney  
Bryan Droll  
Scott Frantz, Jr.  
David Kerman  
Ben Lane  
Ben Lucas  
Colin Nelson  
Merritt Peele  
Geoffrey Peitz  
Brain Seo  
Patrick Whitman  
Miller Williams

Men's Record  
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Women's Record  
4-6

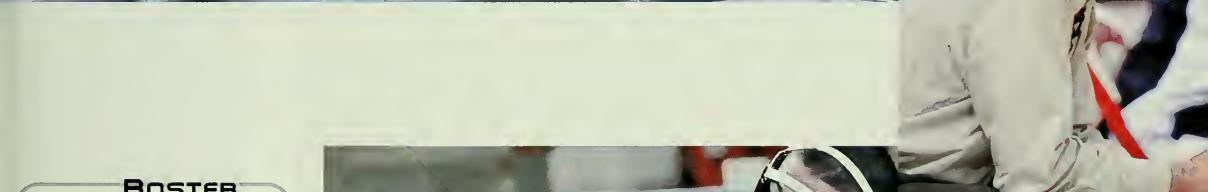
# Wrestling



## COACHES

Head Coach  
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Assistant Coaches  
Joe Privitere  
Julio Arce  
Tim Stroud





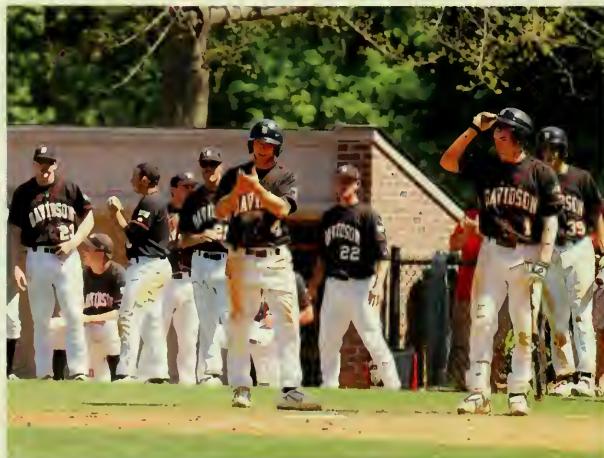
### ROSTER

Ben Altman  
Kevin Cook  
David DeCamp  
Jorge Estrada  
Thomas  
Jasterzbeski  
Scott Luberto  
Scott Matthews  
Joe McGinley  
Tyler Mullen  
Sam O'Hair  
Chris Panfili  
Alex Radsky  
Carl Sandercock  
Ben Thompson  
Charlie Wolff



# SPRING SPORTS

DC



Above: The Davidson Men's Tennis Team huddles up.

Right: Sophomore Danny Weiss takes the bat.





Baseball  
Golf  
Lacrosse  
Tennis



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# BASEBALL

The Wildcats scored two runs to tie the game in the eighth inning before Chase FitzPatrick drove in the winning run in the bottom of the 10th, lifting Davidson to a 3-2 win over the Duke Blue Devils Tuesday night in mid week action at Wilson Field.

Danny Weiss delivered a two-out base hit into right and pinch runner Calvin Sigelbaum scored from first on FitzPatrick's double to end the game.

Matt Webb (4-2) earned the win for Davidson (18-25), retiring his only batter of the night, but Brian Russell put the Wildcats in a winning position, allowing just two hits in two innings of shutout relief with a pair of strikeouts. Starter Ryan Overcash scattered six hits for one run, but did not factor into the decision.

Kyle Butler (2-1) took the loss for the Blue Devils (29-18), allowing one run on two hits in 2/3 of an inning.

## ROSTER

Zach Kayne  
Jake Berman  
James Cerbie  
Brett Shore  
Graham Chapman  
Sam Payne  
Chase FitzPatrick  
Danny Weiss  
Pitt Brady  
Tommy Piacenza  
Seth Freeman  
Alex Bais  
Mike Reid  
CJ La  
Mike Webb  
Mike Biombo  
J.J. Hiney  
Chris FitzPatrick  
Matt L  
Mike Hiner  
Chris Kennedy  
Harrison Edward  
F

Dan  
Davidson  
Mike Frongello  
Drew Gadaire  
Tory Summey  
Dick Cooke-Head Coach  
Mike Zandler-Assistant Coach  
Toby Bicknell-Assistant Coach

Zach Kayne's double in the third inning was his 21st of the season, tying the all-time single season record held by Eli Benefield from 2005. Kayne led the Wildcats at the plate, batting 3-for-5, while FitzPatrick drove in a game-high two runs.



Seth Freeman  
#12

Overcash got into a bit of a jam in the sixth, giving up back-to-back, one-out singles to Matt Williams and Nate Freeman. But he sat the next batter down on strikes and got a pop out to end the inning and strand a pair.

Duke added a run in the seventh, as Jake Lemmerman got a base-hit off Mike Frongello, who entered in relief of Overcash to start the inning. Frongello got a groundout from the next batter, but Will Piwinica-Worms offering got past James Cerbie and into right field to send in a run.

The Blue Devils threatened in the eighth, but a diving one-out catch by Kayne held the runner at third before Russell entered to get the final pop out. Kayne recorded the third Wildcat hit of the night, a base hit into right, and took second on a wild pitch to start the Wildcat scoring in the eighth. Drew Gadaire's single bumped him to third, and Weiss walked to load the bases. FitzPatrick's fielder's choice to the short stop sent in Kayne, and a throwing error at second allowed Gadaire to score the tying run.

Russell got back-to-back strikeouts to start the ninth, before allowing a single to Ryan McCurdy. But Brett Shore speared a pop up from Gabriel Saade to strand a runner, and the Wildcats went down without a fight in the bottom of the inning. Butler started the 10th for Duke and got first-pitch groundouts from Kayne and Gadaire before giving up a base hit to Weiss. Sigelbaum entered to pinch run and scored the winning run from first as FitzPatrick doubled down the left field line.

Below: #33 Matt Sliwiak





Pictures above listed clockwise:  
17 Chase FitzPatrick looks out ready to bat.  
16 Sam Payne slides in for a close call.  
Head Coach Dick Cooke and #12 Seth Freeman discuss the game.  
138 Mike Frongello stares down the competition preparing his next pitch

# Golf



## ROSTER

Ryan Crum  
David Fowler  
Andrew Goyzueta  
Adam Lewicki  
Robert Mayo  
Christopher Rollins  
Michael Saari  
Jackson Taylor  
Bobby Urso



7th  
in conference



# Lacrosse

## ROSTER

Becky Horton  
Emily Rahill  
Claire O'Shea  
Jen Crawford  
Liz Wall  
Haley Cook  
Jenna Mugele  
Erin Keitel  
Jennifer Lindsey  
Callie Seymour  
Michelle Pav  
Laura Renaud  
Anna Smith  
Lily Graham  
Erin Betsch  
Stella Davis  
Heather Frohman  
Lauren Vanhusen



Left Page: Jen Crawford ('10)

Right Page: Top Left: Stella Davis ('11)

Top Right: Jen Crawford ('10)

Bottom: Haley Cook ('10)



Record  
6-10

# Men's Tennis

## ROSTER

Tareq Alani  
Carter Braxton  
Brandon Byrd  
Calum Gee  
Arie Hefter  
Walker Lyons  
Scott Myers  
Eric Noble  
David Warren



## Record 7-17



# Women's Tennis

## ROSTER

Virginia Berry  
Romina Clemente  
Katharine Dicconson  
Lora Dushanova  
Michele Fanney  
Samantha Galainena  
Ali Gores  
Molly McDevitt  
Alison Rauh  
Stephani Synn  
Molly Verlin  
Teresa Wang



# RECORD

12-12



Left Page: Top Right: Michele Fanney ('09)  
Below Left: Ali Gores ('10)  
Below Right: Molly McDevitt ('12)  
Right Page: Top Right: Molly McDevitt ('12)  
Below Left: Lora Dushanova ('09)



# Senior Dedications



# Deanna Ritch Lomax

Deanna,

Congratulations on your graduation from Davidson College! We are so proud of the fine young woman you have become. Keep your eyes on the heights and your feet on the ground.

With much love and admiration,  
Mom & Dad.

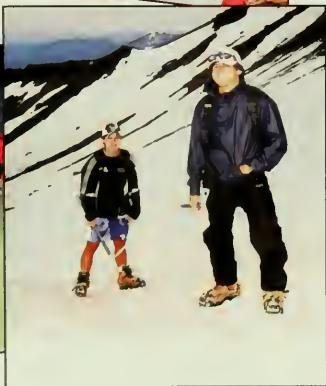


## Tiffany Mumby

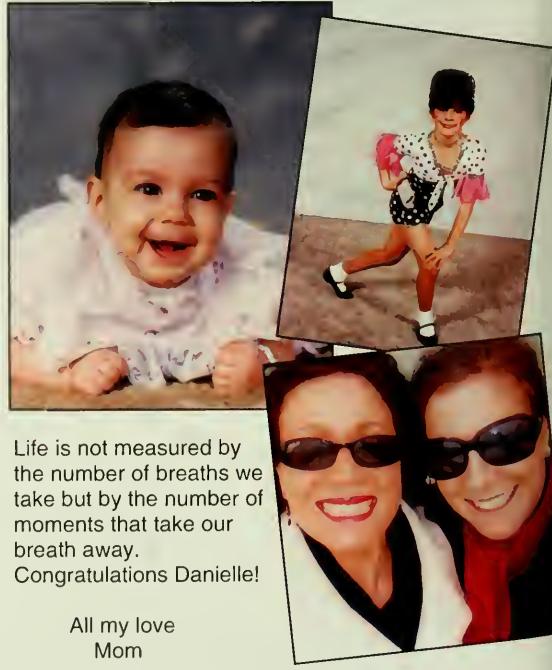
CONGRATULATIONS!

We know Davidson is challenging. You handled it extremely well. We enjoyed being part of your wonderful experience.

Love  
Mom, Dad & Jimmy



## DANIELLE LOKAJ



Life is not measured by the number of breaths we take but by the number of moments that take our breath away.  
Congratulations Danielle!

All my love  
Mom

# Britti Himelfarb

Britti,

I am so proud of you! You exceed all expectations any mother could have for a daughter. Your future is very bright and "Oh the places you will go..."

I love you,  
Mom



# Jonathan Oliver Leathers

Dear Jonathan,

Congratulations on all your accomplishments so far. All our love and best wishes to you on the next stage of your journey.

Love,

Mom, Dad,  
Joanna and Mistie



# DEVYNN AMANDA BIRX



# Nanci Danaher



Congratulations Nanci, we are so  
proud of all your accomplishments.  
Love,  
Dad, Mom, Maureen and Noni



## ASHLEY SEMBLE



Congratulations!  
Love and Hugs,  
Mom, Dad,  
and  
Becky

## CAL WICKER



Cal Wicker '09, Grey Wicker '04,  
Calvin Wicker '73  
"So proud of my Davidson men"

Love, Mom

# Good Luck Steph!

Thanks for a great three years of amazing basketball and wonderful friendships.

Congratulations on being in the top 10 for the NBA draft and good luck with Golden State and your professional basketball career! We will miss you at Davidson. Thanks for the memories!



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# Editor's Note

I never really know what exactly to put in the Editor's Note, so let me start by saying as my second year as the Quips and Cranks editor I have grown as much, if not more, as the yearbook...meaning I still don't know what cranks are. I mean, honestly, why did the former editors have to pull a typical Davidson instead of just calling it Jokes and Laughs? Either way, the word quip certainly has helped my scrabble game.

This has been a year of much kidding and many good times. Not only did we witness the election of the first black president but our claim-to-fame basketball star, Stephen Curry, left our jibing and comical yearbook pages by signing with Golden State. Good luck to him, and may we fellow Davidsonians (little shout out to the newspaper friends) throw many parties as we watch him on the big screen instead of the comfort of our own gym. Our Youtube videos will never be the same without him. With more puns and giggles we saw our very own Marshall Scholar graduate and the reign President Tommy Tommy Ross continue flawlessly in his second year.

So now, as my vocabulary is waning, I must finish my note with a wish. A wish that those who graduated and those yet to graduate, all bonded together through our wildcat pride, have many more Quips and Cranks in their lives.

Lindsey Graf  
2008-2009 Yearbook Editor

And on a more personal note, I'd like to give a special thanks to my sister, who brings many wisecracks and chuckles to my life.

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And many more for their pictures  
and other contributions to the  
2008-2009 Yearbook.

## Colophon

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# World Beat



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► Arizona Senator John McCain wins the Republican nomination for president and names Alaska Governor Sarah Palin as his running mate. Palin is the Republican Party's first female nominee for vice president.



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# Waves of Change



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► Democratic Senator Joe Biden of Delaware becomes the 47th vice president of the United States. A member of the Senate since 1973, Biden brings long-time Washington experience to the Obama administration.





## Get out the vote!



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Obama's grassroots organization and innovative Web campaign is credited with inspiring young and first-time voters to participate heavily in the election.



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The values, fashion and personal vitality of the Obama family resonate with Americans. Public interest in the first family rivals that of the interest in the Kennedy family in the 1960s.

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◀ Barack Obama makes history as the first African-American to win the presidency of the United States. The former Illinois senator promises an era of change that captures the imagination of voters nationwide.

## Electoral Votes

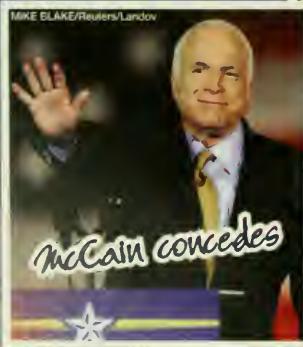
Obama 365  
McCain 173



# Obama Wins



McCain/Palin run a strong campaign, winning 22 states. But they are defeated 53 vs. 46 percent in the general election and by a substantial margin in the Electoral College.



▼ **Celebrations around the world**



## Obama's Cabinet nominations



In January 2009, president-elect Obama attends the ultimate power lunch in the White House, meeting and getting advice from President Bush as well as former Presidents George H.W. Bush, Bill Clinton and Jimmy Carter.

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# Getting prepared for office

KEVIN LAMARQUE/Reuters/Landov



## Souvenirs



# Inauguration 1-20-09

During the inauguration ceremony, Malia Obama captures the moment from a unique point of view.



PAT BENIC/UPI/Landov



Barack Obama is sworn in as the 44th president of the United States before millions in Washington, D.C. Obama's inaugural address calls for a "new era of responsibility" in the face of economic decline and a pledge to choose "hope over fear."



**'We have chosen hope over fear...'**

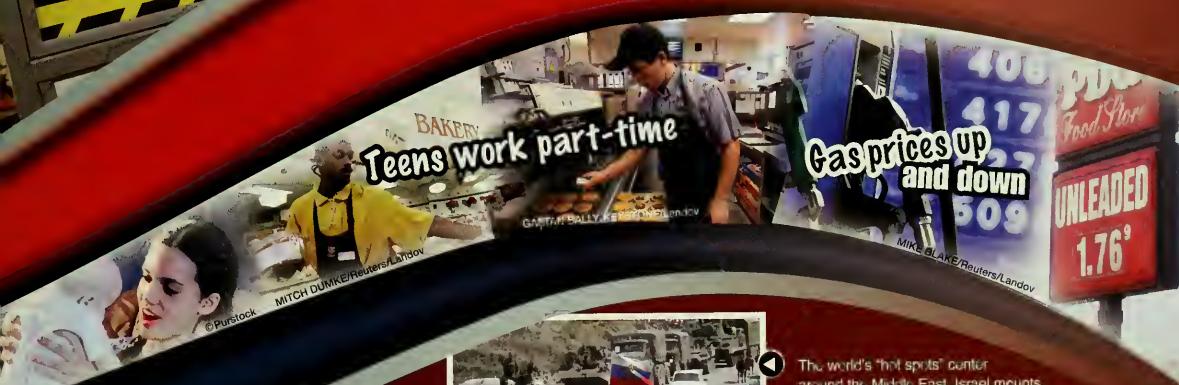




# GOING OUT OF BUSINESS



Many retailers are forced to file for bankruptcy or go out of business after being unable to rebound from the harsh economy and a very disappointing fourth quarter of 2008.



The world's "hot spots" center around the Middle East. Israel mounts a major offensive against Hamas in Gaza, the United States continues to oppose the Taliban in Afghanistan and insurgents in Iraq, and in August, Russia attacks its southern neighbor, Georgia, in a dispute over western influence in the area.



In January 2009, after both engines fail due to ingesting birds, US Airways Flight 1549 ditches in New York's Hudson River. All 158 passengers and crew members are saved, thanks to the skill and courage of pilot Chesley E. "Sully" Sullenberger.



## "Miracle on the Hudson"



# Changing our World



Environmentally conscious consumers use items such as reusable cloth shopping bags and Klean Kanteen water bottles that don't leak harmful chemicals like BPA.



Public bicycle sharing systems, already popular in Europe, roll into American cities like Washington, D.C., to help fight traffic congestion and reduce pollution.

Tight money and high gas prices push auto manufacturers to investigate super fuel-efficient and electric cars. The Chevrolet Volt is an early contender and the tiny "Smart" car is already on American roads.



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# CLEAN ENERGY



In September, Google and General Electric partner to develop clean technologies. Modernizing the national electric grid to enable wider deployment of wind, solar and geothermal energy will be an early priority.



Courtesy of Apple, Inc.



Youth Volunteering Youth Volunteering Youth Volunteering



Mark Mainz/Getty Images

▲ Brad Pitt launches the "Make It Right" project to build 150 green-sensitive new homes in the New Orleans Lower 9th Ward, which was destroyed by Hurricane Katrina. Pitt contributes \$5 million to the project.



▲ The green cleaning movement gains momentum nationally as environmentally safe non-toxic cleaning products are used in many homes, as well as state and city institutions.



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▲ President-elect Obama asks all Americans to volunteer their time on the 2009 Martin Luther King Jr. Day of Service, January 19, and to continue throughout the year. More than 12,000 service projects take place across the country.

# Summer Olympics

The Beijing 2008 Summer Olympics showcase some of the most amazing performances in Olympic history.

American swimmer Michael Phelps makes Olympic history with eight gold medals. Phelps sets three world records in his five individual wins.



# Sports

The Olympic Opening Ceremony

Usain Bolt

Fastest man EVER!



Karen Jones

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Red Wings win  
2008 Stanley Cup

World Series

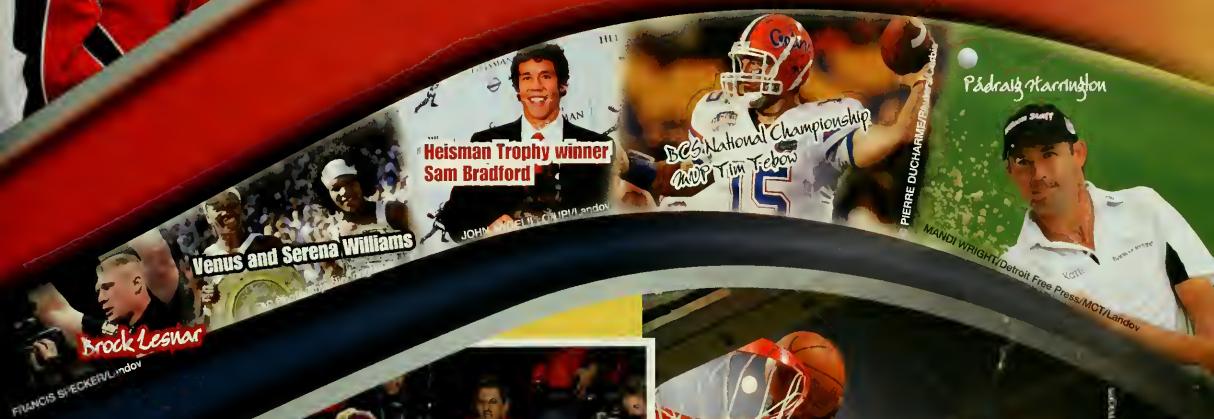
The Philadelphia Phillies win their second World Series with a five game victory over the Tampa Bay Rays. The fifth game takes three days to complete after a rain delay.





► The Chinese gymnasts take the team title, but Americans Shawn Johnson (floor exercise) and Nastia Liukin (all-around) take individual gold medals for the U.S.

## Gymnastics



## Super Bowl XLIII

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► MVP Santonio Holmes makes a tip-toe catch in the corner of the end zone with 35 seconds remaining to lead the Pittsburgh Steelers past the Arizona Cardinals 27-23 in Super Bowl XLIII.



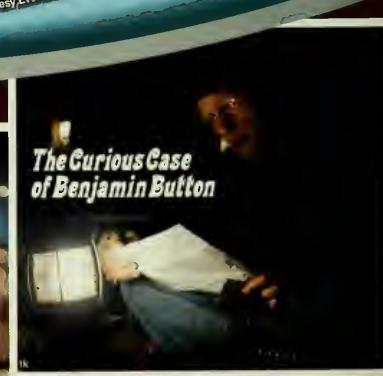
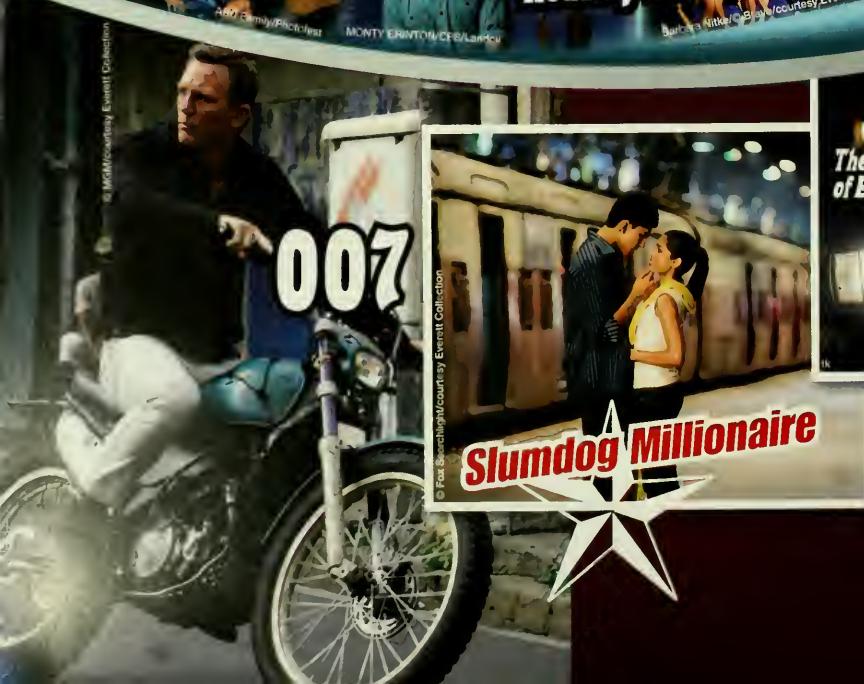
Jimmie Johnson captures the NASCAR Sprint Cup championship for the third straight year in his famous #48 Lowe's Chevrolet Impala SS.



By AP Photo/Sports Illustrated/Getty Images



# Entertainment



*Slumdog Millionaire*, a surprise entry from India about teen life in Mumbai, and Brad Pitt's *The Curious Case of Benjamin Button*, about a man who ages backwards, monopolize Academy Award nominations with a combined total of 23.



MTV spins off the reality show *The Hills*, following Laguna Beach star Lauren Conrad and her friends to Los Angeles.



Australian Heath Ledger, in his last film role as the Joker in the Batman epic *The Dark Knight*, wins a posthumous Golden Globe for Best Supporting Actor in a Drama.

**Paul Blart: Mall Cop**

*Bedtime Stories*





# Music

Rapper Lil' Wayne takes home four Grammies, including Rap Album of the Year for *Tha Carter III* and Best Rap Song.

MTV



Due to low ratings, MTV's flagship show *Total Request Live* shuts down in November after a 10-year run.

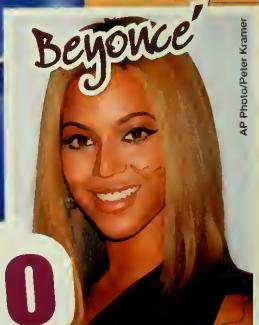


Britney Spears rebounds from years of personal challenges with her fifth No.1 album, *Circus*. She becomes the only act in Nielsen SoundScan history to have four albums that debut with 500,000 or more copies sold.



Ne-Yo

R&B singer/songwriter Ne-Yo brings out his third album, *Year of the Gentleman*, which debuts on the *Billboard* 200 at No. 2. The album garners six Grammy nominations.



AP Photo/Peter Kramer



Will.i.am's video for "Yes We Can" gamers more than 1.3 million hits on YouTube and becomes an anthem for young voters during the presidential campaign.



AC/DC

## Classic Rock



Fox's *American Idol* adds a fourth judge to the popular show. Grammy-nominated songwriter Kara DioGuardi joins regular panelists Randy Jackson, Paula Abdul and Simon Cowell.



David vs. David



Rocker David Cook, with 58 percent of the fan votes, beats balladeer David Archuleta in the 2008 finals of Fox's *American Idol*.

# Lifestyle

Slippers to wear every day



## Designer Purses & Shoes



Top style trends this year include baggy pants, oversized sunglasses, designer purses, black nail polish and plaids.

Black Nail Polish



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Texting becomes the new writing. Teens everywhere learn to double-thumb miniature keyboards and invent a new language of abbreviations and signs.

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Social Networking



Digital TV

The nation converts to all-digital TV in 2009. The Department of Commerce offers government coupons to make the conversion more affordable.







